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A PARTY of fellows styling themselves Fenians, in Cleveland, on Sunday last went on board the British schooner Elk, from Toronto, and hauled down the English flag. The act was disavowed by the Fenian Circle of Cleveland and by the citizens. The United States District Attorney has the matter, and if the fellows can be punished they will be.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—A meeting of the citizens of Philadelphia was held Monday afternoon, at which Mayor McMichael presided, for the purpose of organizing a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Hon. Wm. A. Porter, in a brief address, alluded to the treatment of cattle while being transported to the East from the West, stating that cattle from Indiana were known to be on the road for three and four days having but one drink of water during that time. He also cited instances of his personal knowledge where sheep, mules and horses were similarly treated, and subjected to other abuse. Appropriate addresses were made by Hon. Jos. T. Thomas and Hon. James Pollock, after which committees were appointed to prepare an act of incorporation and to issue an address asking the co-operation of the public in the suppression of cruelty to animals.

Dresden, Ohio—The Cass Family.

A little paper, called the *High School Exponent*, published at Dresden, Ohio, gives a brief history of the town, which is somewhat interesting. The town has a population of two thousand, is situated on the Muskingum river, fifteen miles above Zanesville, and within a mile of the Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad. The town was named by Major Jonathan Cass, father of the late General Lewis Cass, of Michigan, and grandfather of General George W. Cass, of this city. The land upon which the town is located was owned by Philadelphians, and Major Cass was their agent for the sale of lots. In the year 1801 he removed with his family to occupy it. Here he gave himself to the education of his children, the cultivation of his domains, and the development of those virtues which have characterized the man. He died in the year 1832, leaving behind a noble name and a distinguished progeny. His son George W. Cass, the only surviving son, is a venerable gentleman of eighty-two years, and still resides at Dresden.

Taxation of National Banks.

As this subject is at present occupying the attention of our banks, in view of the approaching operation of the recent act of the Legislature, we give here sufficient of the law's bearing upon it to simplify a conclusion as to the rights and duties of all parties.

The liability to taxation by the State, is based upon the following portion of Section 41 of the National Banking Law:

"*Provided*, That nothing in this Act shall be construed to prevent all the shares in any of the said associations, held by any person or body corporate, from being included in the valuation of the personal property of such person or corporation in the assessment of taxes imposed by or under State authority at the place where such bank is located, and not elsewhere, but not at a greater rate than is assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of such State: *Provided further*, That the tax so imposed under the laws of any State, upon the shares of any of the associations authorized by this Act, shall not exceed the rate imposed upon the shares in any of the banks organized under authority of the State where such association is located."

This section places National Bank shares, in the hands of the owner, on the same footing with money at interest; that is, subject to the usual taxation for State, county and municipal purposes.

The Legislature passed an "Act to amend the revenue laws of the Commonwealth," February 23d, 1866, the first section of which imposed a tax of one per cent. upon all bank shares, and required the Cashier to collect the same from each stockholder and pay over to the State Treasurer.

This was regarded by many of the National Banks as overstepping the rights reserved to the States under the 1st section of the National Currency Act, and was not generally complied with. On the 12th of April, 1867, a new act was passed, repealing the section of the act of 1866, that had been resisted, and providing for taxation in conformity with the National Currency Act. The following is the substance of this last State law, omitting merely the formalities to be observed by the Assessors:

AN ACT

To increase the revenue of the Commonwealth by taxation of the shares or stock of the National Banks.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That all the shares or stock, held by any person, in any bank incorporated by or in pursuance of any law of the government of the United States, are hereby declared subject to taxation in the hands of the holders of such shares, at the same rate as the shares or stock of banks incorporated by, or under any law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania are now taxable, in the hands of the individual holders of such shares, and at no other or greater rate; that is to say, a tax of three mills upon every dollar of the value of such shares or stock, shall annually be assessed and collected in the manner hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. That the Auditor General and State Treasurer are hereby authorized and directed, immediately upon the passage of this act, to appoint an adequate number of suitable persons, citizens of this Commonwealth, to ascertain the residence and assess the value of the shares of stock aforesaid; said assessors, so appointed, shall proceed, as soon as possible after their appointment, and after having taken and subscribed an oath in due form of law to execute the duties imposed upon them with fidelity and impartiality, to visit all the banks incorporated by the United States, and located within the county or district for which the assessor is appointed, and obtain from the officers of said banks a full and complete list of the shareholders of each bank, with their residence, and their number and par value of shares of stock held by each person respectively, whereupon the assessor shall proceed to assess all of the stockholders resident within the county or district for which he is appointed, and the actual value* of the shares or stock held by each, and make a complete list of the same, which list shall be returned to the commissioners of the city or county in which said bank is located; and the amount of taxes due the Commonwealth upon such assessment, shall be collected in the manner in which taxes upon other personal property are now collectable.

SEC. 3. Directs Assessors as to lists of non-residents.

SEC. 4. Refers to appointment and termination of duties of Assessors.

SEC. 5. That should any National or State bank of this Commonwealth pay to the State Treasurer a tax of one per cent. per annum, upon the par value of the capital stock thereof, the shareholders of said bank shall be exempt from all other taxation on the value of said shares.

SEC. 6. That the first section of the act, entitled "An Act to amend the revenue laws of the Commonwealth," approved the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, so far as the same refers to banks incorporated by the United States, be and the same is hereby repealed.

* NOTE.—The form of oath administered to the Assessors under this law, says, the Assessor shall "assess all of the shares of stock held by each at their actual cash or market value."

The authority to require access to lists of shareholders is conferred by the 40th section of the National Currency Act, which provides, that a correct list of the names and residences of all the shareholders, with the number of their shares, shall be kept by the banks, and such lists shall be subject to inspection by "the officers authorized to assess taxes under State authority."

We think we have stated all the points necessary to a decision by those interested. The liability to State and local taxation seems clear enough, and has likewise been confirmed by a decision of the Supreme Court about two months since, rendered upon a case in Montgomery county, where a shareholder in a National Bank was held to be liable upon the value of his shares for all local taxes under the assessment laws of the county.

It will be observed that the State proposes, by section 5 of the Act of April 12, 1866, to receive one per cent. per annum on the par capital of any bank, in lieu of the three mill tax and all other taxes that might be imposed by local assessment upon the value of the shares.

The President and Gen. Sheridan.

The removal of General Sheridan has not only been seriously contemplated by the President, but was very recently on the eve of being executed. The plan was to place General Rousseau in his place. Senator Patterson, of Tennessee, for one of the White House clique, opposed it, on the ground that when the nomination of Rousseau was under consideration in Executive session that the question was asked him directly whether in case of confirmation he would not be sent to relieve Sheridan, and that he, Patterson, made a most positive statement that no such change was contemplated, or would follow. To this Mr. Johnson replies to his son-in-law that no one had any authority to make such pledges. But the great and effective opposition to the removal has come from the War Department and from General Grant, and this has been of such a positive character as to deter the President from following his inclination and doing as his rebel friends desire.

NO MORE ADVERTISED LETTER LISTS.—Postmaster General Randall has decided to dispense with the publication of lists of uncalled for letters. It will be hereafter posted upon the bulletin boards of the various postoffices, and such papers as desire can then print it.

THE Legislature of New Jersey having failed to carry out the wishes of its constituents with regard to manhood suffrage, the people have taken the matter in their own hands, and a convention is called to meet at Trenton, on the 4th of June.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

THE CAPITAL.

OBJECT OF JAPANESE EMBASSY.

Progress of the Impeachment Investigation.

Pardons Marked $300 Cash on Delivery.

No Truth in Reported Massacre at Fort Buford.

Progress of Reconstruction in Louisiana and Virginia.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, May 7, 1867.

The Japanese Visit.

The Japanese Commissioners to-day had a confidential interview with Secretary Seward, during which they informed him the object of their mission to this country. They afterwards visited the Secretary of the Navy, and conversed with him relative to iron-clads and light draught vessels, which they desire to purchase for use in the Japanese waters. They received a cordial invitation to visit the navy yard, and to-morrow leave for Annapolis, to examine the Naval School there. The State Department has detailed one of its officers to accompany the Commissioners in their visits. They have decided to make their headquarters in Washington for two months.

The Impeachment Prosecution.

The examination of witnesses in the impeachment investigation by the House Judiciary Committee was not protracted to-day. As the witnesses are not required by the Committee to keep the evidence secret which they give, there is no difficulty in ascertaining its general tenor. Since the Committee reassembled the bulk of the testimony has related to the pardon business, and the returning of property by the President to persons whom he has pardoned. Parties who are pushing the investigation in the assumed character of Prosecuting Attorneys are about to call the Committee's attention to the alleged spoliation of Booth's diary. Colonel Conger, who took the diary from Booth's body, is here to testify in that particular, and it is intimated that the eighteen pages which appear to be missing from the book were cut out while Booth was at Dr. Mudd's house in lower Maryland. State Senator Weatherby, of South Carolina, was examined to-day relative to his interview with the President last fall, and the Washington agent of Adams' Express Company testified that the company forwarded pardons to Alabama from parties here, marked three hundred dollars cash on delivery to the persons to whom they were granted.

The Reported Massacre at Fort Buford.

Unofficial but trustworthy information has been received from the West, at General Grant's headquarters, that the reported massacre at Fort Buford at last proves to be without any foundation. Colonel Benton, in command of the place, and the garrison, were in good health on the first of February, two weeks after the time at which the massacre was reported.

The Disfranchising Clause.

The Attorney General's opinion on the disfranchising clauses of the reconstruction act, which was delayed by business before the Supreme Court, will be finished at once. Both Generals Schofield and Sheridan, especially the former, desire to be governed by it at the earliest practicable moment.

The Washington City Registry.

The registration of voters under the universal suffrage act is completed in this district, and the whites have a majority of eight hundred and forty-five. This leaves the result of the municipal election in June in doubt, both parties claiming the victory. It is estimated that at least three thousand white voters declined to register.

From New Orleans.

Advices from New Orleans are received here to the effect that all distinction on account of race or color is abolished on the street railways. The registration of voters in the city has reached ten thousand. One of the Judges of the State Courts of Louisiana has decided that a man disfranchised by the Reconstruction Act from voting is disqualified from being a juror, on the ground that jurors are taken from the lists of voters.

The Cabinet.

To-day being Cabinet day, no visitors were admitted to the Executive Mansion. All the members of the Cabinet were present except Secretary Browning, and the session was protracted beyond the usual hour.

Registration in Virginia.

The registration of voters in Virginia, under the new reconstruction act, is about to commence in the Eastern tier of counties. The boards of registers have already qualified, and will go at once to work.

The Maryland Convention.

The State convention to re-model the Constitution of Maryland meets at Annapolis to-morrow. It will sit two or three months.

Public Land Sales.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has received returns showing 40,819 acres of public land were disposed of during the month of March, at Springfield, Missouri, office, 32,091 acres of which were taken for actual settlement and cultivation. The returns show that Missouri is exceeding all Western States in immigration.

WASHINGTON, May 7.

REGISTRY OF VOTERS COMPLETED.

The registry of the city is completed. About 15,800 is the entire number of names, of which there is a majority of 969 white voters.

BONDS ISSUED.

Gen. M. J. Palmer, Treasurer of the Union Pacific Railroad, eastern division, has received $480,000 in United States bonds, being the amount due on the seventh section of thirty miles of their completed road, just accepted by Government commissioners.

VIRGINIA VS. WEST VIRGINIA.

The case of Virginia vs. West Virginia, was argued in the Supreme Court to-day.

NAVAL ACADEMY.

The following is a list of candidates selected by the President for appointment to the Naval Academy as midshipmen: At large—John Downes, of Massachusetts, son of late Commander John Downes; Duncan Converse, Ohio; Wm. A. Durhuast, New Hampshire; J. T. Edson, New York; Abraham K. Mechler, District of Columbia, son of Brevet Brigadier General N. Mechler; William T. R. Orrly, Maryland; Thomas S. Plunkett, Tennessee; Jos. H. Sands, District of Columbia, son of Commodore B. Z. Sands; Frank L. Clarke, Kentucky; Persin Busbee, North Carolina.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has, with the sanction of the Department of the Interior, appointed Dr. S. V. Hayden, Professor of Geology and Mineralogy in the University of Pennsylvania, to make the geological examination of Nebraska, authorized by act approved March 2, 1867.

FROM ST. LOUIS.

Supreme Court Decision—Thirty Outlaws Hung—City Finances—Union Pacific Railroad—The Frost.

ST. LOUIS, May 7.—The Supreme Court today gave a decision in the case of Drehmann vs. Stifel, appealed from the Circuit Court, affirming the decision of the lower court. The suit was originally brought for possession of property seized by Col. Stifel for military purposes, while he commanded a regiment of home guards in 1861, and which he has since retained. The decision is based upon the ordinance passed by the old State Convention, which prohibits civil or criminal action against any person for acts performed by virtue of military authority.

The Kansas City *Journal* says thirty outlaws have been hung by the Vigilance committees of Johnson and Pettis counties during the winter and spring.

Mayor Thomas's annual message was delivered to the City Council this afternoon. He says the bonded debt of the city is $5,671,500, an increase of one million in two years. The estimated revenue for the present year is $1,651,000; estimated expenses for the same time, $1,486,000.

The United States Treasurer delivered to the Union Pacific Railway, Kansas Branch, bonds on the thirty miles of the road accepted by the Commissioners, April 27th. Another section of this road, twenty miles west of Salina, will be ready for inspection May 15th.

The frost last night made ice in some localities, and it is said much damage has been done vegetation, especially early berries.

New Albany Election.

NEW ALBANY, IND., May 7.—The entire Democratic ticket was elected for city officers by a large majority. Sanderson, for Mayor, has over six hundred majority. Only one radical Councilman was elected.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Another Fenian Found Guilty.

France and Prussia Still Arming.

GREAT REFORM DEMONSTRATION.

Meeting of the Conference.

Hesitation as to the Neutralization of Luxemburg.

McCafferty Found Guilty.

LONDON, May 7, Evening.—A dispatch from Dublin states that the Fenian McCafferty has been found guilty.

Liberal Amendment Accepted.

The Government has accepted the Liberal amendment to the Reform bill, providing for the lodger franchise.

France and Prussia Arming.

Notwithstanding the preliminaries looking to the preservation of peace, France and Prussia are both rapidly arming. This course is producing distrust and alarm in financial circles here and elsewhere.

The Conference.

LONDON, May 7.—The conference of European governments for the settlement of the conflicting claims of France and Prussia in regard to the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg met in this city to-day. It is reported that the leading powers hesitate to hurry out the proposition for guaranteeing the neutralization of Luxemburg, and that the people of the Grand Duchy ask for annexation to Belgium.

The Fenians.

DUBLIN, May 7.—The prisoner Connelly was to-day convicted of high treason by the special commissioner, and prisoner Clark acquitted and discharged from custody.

London Money Market.

LONDON, May 7, Noon.—Consols 91¼; Bonds 71½; Illinois Central, 75½; Erie, 42.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, May 7, Noon.—Cotton quiet and unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, May 7, Evening.—Cotton quiet. Corn declined 3d. since opening; quoted at 45s. for Mixed Western. Naval stores tending downward.

The Reform Demonstration—One Hundred Thousand Persons Present—Fifteen Separate Meetings Organized—Revolutionary Sentiments Cheered—The Press Denounce the Government.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A *Herald* special, dated at London on the evening of the 6th inst., says: The Reform demonstration in Hyde Park to-day was an immense affair. It numbered at least one hundred thousand, embracing roughs, gentlemen, women, children and workingmen. Sir Robert Walpole's proclamation that the assembly was illegal proved utterly abortive. The morning papers announced that the Government would attempt to put down the meeting, but all the troops in London and vicinity were under arms, and a large force of police was concealed in a secluded part of the park, and vehicles were kept ready to convey them to any point in case of riot. Fifteen seperate meetings were organized, at one of which a woman spoke in favor of female suffrage.

A stand was devoted to religious speeches. Most of the revolutionary sentiments uttered by the speakers were loudly cheered. As the police passed by the crowd, the former advocated order, and practically carried out that idea by driving off the trees in the park the roughs who perched in the branches.

The entire press denounce the course of the Government. The tories treat the meetings as a mob victory, while the reformers claim them as a splendid popular triumph. The bitterest feeling exists on both sides, and all London is intensely excited. Some of the meetings are still in progress, and will continue until a late hour.

HIGHLY INTERESTING.

NEW YORK, May 7, 1867.

SALE OF LOTS.

The block bounded by Fifth and Madison Avenues, and Fifty-Ninth and Sixtieth streets, which were purchased for the site for the Grand Hotel, which is now abandoned, were sold at auction to-day for $395,550. The lots cost $350,000 eighteen months ago.

RE-UNION OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Joint Committee of the Presbyterian General Assemblies, old and new schools, after a session of a week in this city, have agreed upon terms of re-union with remarkable unanimity. These terms are to go before the churches for a year before final action.

ANNIVERSARY.

The thirty-fourth anniversary of the American Anti-Slavery Society was held to-day. The attendance was large. Wendell Phillips, who presided, was the chief speaker. Resolutions were adopted that the nation owes to its self respect, to justice, to the future security and present safety of the colored race, to impeach and remove the traitor of the White House at once; every hour Congress delays that action insults the nation, disgraces the law, jeopardizes its future, delays justice, and makes more and more innocent blood cry to God against us; that we urge on all friends of freedom to keep vigilant and ceaseless watch on the Supreme Court, and the present effort of rebels to make use of it in order to block the wheels of the Government; that a large measure of confiscation and the division of confiscated land among the negroes is an act of justice to them and the former rebel owners of the land, and will be security for his other rights and to the nation itself. Adjourned.

HORSES SUFFOCATED.

Thirty-five horses were suffocated to death by fire in the stable of J. R. Halsey, on Broadway and Twenty-sixth streets, early this morning.

THE JAPANESE MISSION.

A Washington special says: The Japanese Commissioners have informed Secretary Seward privately of the object of their mission, and have had an interview with Secretary Welles relative to the purchase of vessels.

WILL NOT PRESIDE.

Another Washington special says: It is not true that Chief Justice Chase will be in Richmond next week to preside at the trial of Jeff. Davis. He will not leave the bench of the Supreme Court until the close of the present term, on the 20th of May. He will then be occupied several days in concluding the nominations for registers in bankruptcy.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Will probably remain in session two or three weeks, and then adjourn to New York to examine the conveyance of the Kansas branch of the Union Pacific Railroad.

FROM MEMPHIS.

The Races—Suffering Among Planters—Stabbing Affray—Address by Hon. W. D. Kelley—Nicholson Pavement—Mad Dog.

MEMPHIS, May 7.—Races: Single dash one and a-half miles; entered, Mollie Austin and Local. The former won the race; time 2:52¼. Second race—four entries; Cleburn, Ringmaster, Knighthood and Johnson. Mile heats, three best in five; won by Ringmaster; first heat, 1:57¾; second heat, 1:55½; third heat, 1:56¾.

The greater part of the plantations south of here on the river are overflowed, and the planters in a starving condition. The laying up of the Vicksburg packets during the high stage of water has caused the planters in the bends to ignore them, and the trade is now going to St. Louis.

Wall Patton, in an affray, stabbed James Austin, a river man, last night. His wound is not serious.

Hon. W. D. Kelley addressed an audience of white and black radicals this evening, at Greenlaw's Opera House. The crowd was quite small.

Workmen have broke ground to lay the Nicholson pavement.

A mad dog bit a little girl this morning.

The National Debt.

During April, the debt bearing interest in coin has increased $41,821,750. Of this increase $41,584,150 is in Five-twenties. The amount of Seven-thirties has been decreased $32,910,950, while the amount of compounds have been diminished $4,254,120, making a total of these securities canceled of $37,165,070, or $4,419,080 less than the amount of Five-twenties issued in funding operations. In United States notes, there is a decrease of $1,170,562, representing the "contraction" for the month. Of the matured debt not presented for payment, $893,118 has been liquidated. The amount of debt, less cash in the Treasury, is $2,641,974 less than on April 1. The amount of coin in the Treasury during the same period has increased $8,292,966 87, and the amount of currency has decreased $490,268 28. The Gold Certificates have increased $2,809,840. The amount of coin owned by the Treasury (*i. e.* the total coin less the deposits against Gold Certificates) is $5,484,127 larger than on April 1. On the first of May the amount of coin owned by the Treasury was $98,850,004; after paying the May Coupons, amounting to about $24,000,000, the total would be reduced to about $75,000,000.

THE Alexandria *Gazette* says that George Seaton, G. W. Simms and R. S. Beckley, colored men, are among the jurymen selected for the United States District Court to meet at Richmond next Monday. Among the other jurors are Lewis McKenzie, Thomas Davy, C. P. Baldwin, John M. Botts, Jacob N. Troth and John Hawxhurst, from that place and the neighboring counties.

FRANCE AND PRUSSIA.

The Suspense in Europe—War Less Ruinous.

[From the London Times, April 23.]

The next fortnight will, in all human probability, terminate the suspense which now paralyzes confidence throughout Europe. The preliminaries of war are in these days as brief as the operations of war are crushing and decisive. The intelligence of a collision between the French and Prussian troops on the Luxemburg frontier may perhaps be the first notice we shall receive of a struggle for supremacy on the Continent, the most formidable in its probable consequences, as it is certainly the least just and necessary, which has been waged since the days of Napoleon I. Every day that elapses without an assurance of a pacific settlement naturally increases the impatience of both nations and the difficulties of mediation. The supposed insults conveyed, on the one hand, in the scheme for annexing the Province, and, on the other, by the refusal to evacuate the fortress, are daily aggravated by the appeals to patriotic passions in the French and German press. In commercial circles on both sides of the Rhine the cry has already been raised that war itself is less ruinous than a protracted apprehension of war, and in military circles every rumor of hostile preparations stimulates the demand for offensive action. The most precise accounts of French armaments come from Berlin; the movements of Prussian battalions are reported at the earliest moment from Prussia. It is not forgotten how rapidly the Italian war followed the announcement that the Empire was at peace, or how persistent the declarations that Prussia had scarcely begun to arm against Austrian invasion just before her legions were poured into Bohemia in a perfect state of discipline and equipment. It would be absurd to doubt that both Governments have foreseen the possible contingency of a rupture for the last twelve months. The treaties made by Prussia with Bavaria and Wurtemburg were evidently made in contemplation of this very event, and the withdrawal of French troops and transportation from Mexico could not have been more opportune had it been arranged with the same prospect in view. From the day that Prussia established her military superiority to Austria it became a fixed idea in the minds of Frenchmen, as well as Germans, that she would next have to contend with France for the championship of Europe. It is this issue and no other which is to be fought out between the two leading States on the Continent unless reason and conscience should at last prevail.

THE UNFORTUNATE POSITION OF FRANCE—HER TRUE WAY OUT OF IT.

(From the London Times, April 24.)

An attentive survey of the five-and-thirty years which separate the Third from the First Napoleon might have revealed the improvement in the feelings of the sound part of the French nation in this important respect. The French were masters of themselves in 1830 and 1848, and the old cry for the "rectification of frontiers" could not fail to be set up. Rabid demagogues, adventurers of the worst description, rushed to the borders, and attempted an "overflowing" both on the side of Belgium and on that of Savoy; but their outrages were promptly and honorably disavowed even by the most advanced revolutionary Governments. The fact is that France has outlived her heroic age. She could hardly hope or wish for any material addition to the long series of "victories and conquests" which illustrated her annals; and, proud of a security grounded on the fame of recent exploits, she was loth to disturb the peace of defenseless neighbors, who showed her every mark of deference and good will. The wars of the Restoration and of Louis Philippe were unpopular from a variety of motives; but of those of the present Emperor it may be said that they enjoyed public favor in proportion to the unselfishness of the policy which prompted them. Had the question of war and peace been fairly referred to the people's suffrage, we question whether any other object than the vindication of Polish independence (the cry—*La Pologne ne perira pas*) would ever have induced France to draw the sword, and although French sympathies in behalf of the Italian cause were somewhat damaged by qualms of lurking Ultramontanism, we feel convinced that the expedition across the Alps of 1859 would have been viewed with less jealousy, had the Emperor been true to his boast of "waging war for an idea"—had he never huckstered for a recompense equally inadequate to France's services and derogatory to her pride. The harm, in the estimation of the French, was not in giving Italy her liberty, but in selling it so cheap.

The paltry acquisition of Savoy and Nice entailed all the miseries of the present crisis. It was that which gave rise to the luckless scheme of "observant neutrality" in the summer of last year, that laid down the rule about "territorial compensation" and the "rectification of frontiers." Had the German movement been represented as what it really was—as the yearning of a sister nation to that unity which has for centuries constituted the main boast of the French people—had the bare idea that that any aggrandizement of Prussia could cause the children of the conquerors of Jena one moment's uneasiness been scouted as high treason against French honor, the opposition of old world politicians could easily have been laughed to scorn. But the logic of his precedents seemed to drive the French Emperor against his better judgment, and he adhered to his less generous course with a consistency to which it was natural to attribute dangerous designs. Yet, even if his purpose was to pick a quarrel with Bismarck, surely the flagrant violation of the Treaty of Peace with respect to the Danish districts of North Schleswig, or the indignities heaped upon the heads of the Kings of Hanover and Saxony, would have afforded better pretexts than the barter of the people who, whatever vote might be elicited from them by a *Plebiscite*, had never suspected the admixture of one drop of French blood in their veins. * * * In the meanwhile, we have no hesitation in asserting that it is for the Emperor Napoleon to allay a storm of his own raising. We should expect him to have the courage to deny that there can be a *casus belli* even in the refusal of the Prussians to withdraw their garrison from Luxemburg. Nothing has been taken, nothing has been demanded of France. Let it be highly proclaimed that neither insult nor menace was ever intended to her. Nations in our days are not ruled by principles of the dueling code, nor are they responsible for all the vaporing and blustering of their unauthorized newspapers. That a war with Germany, however unsuccessful, is undesirable for France, has been with the Emperor from the beginning a fixed idea. It is not the dread of a Parliamentary tirade by M. Thiers, or of a shrieking article by M. de Girardin, that should shake his wise and humane purpose.

UNION OF METHODISTS.—The committee appointed by the Union Convention of Non Episcopal Methodists, held in Cincinnati in May, 1866, have addressed a communication to the bishops of churches under date of May 19, 1866, in response to the official resolutions of our bishops, adopted at Erie, Pa., June 15, 1865. The committee say that they do not regard it becoming for them to initiate official proceedings looking to union, but that at the first General Conference of their united body, which will meet at Cleveland, Ohio, May 15, 1867, such further action may be anticipated as the facts and circumstances then known will authorize. The reply of the bishops was prepared early last winter, but has been delayed for the signature of Bishop Simpson, who, during the winter, was absent from the country. They state that, although they have no authority to make special arrangements not warranted in the Discipline, no effort on their part shall be wanting to smooth the way for such a union and consolidation as they "believe will tend to the glory of God and the best good of mankind."—*New York Methodist.*

SPEAKING of the next crop, and the influence it will have on business, the Cincinnati *Gazette* says:—Making allowance for the deficiency in the amount of wheat sown last fall, the prospect is that we shall have a full average crop. The crop is still exposed to accident, such as rust, fly or frost, but the circumstances are all in its favor, and it is hardly probable that any general injury will be sustained. Where the prospects are everywhere so fine we may not expect, at worst, to hear of damages other than in exceptional cases. Withing sixty days from this time new wheat will begin to arrive from the South, and thereafter the business of converting this grain into currency will progress rapidly. The markets will all be bare and ready to take whatever farmers can prepare and railroads carry. This will lead to the distribution of money which is now in unhealthy abundance in New York, and will tell favorably upon the mercantile interests of the country in advance of the fall trade.

THE YOUNGSTOWN MILLS.—The Mahoning *Register* says: Our silent iron mills are anything but a cheerful sight to those who have the business interests of our town at heart. Hundreds of working men are now idle, consuming for their support the saving accumulated by their former industry, or contracting debts, the payment of which will be very burdensome in the "hard times" which appear to be approaching. The Youngstown mill-owners have not yet decided to resume. They are of the opinion that if they should do so, the run would only last a few months, as the prices of labor are too high for permanent operations.

VIRGINIA WHEAT.—The wheat crop in all this part of our valley is looking most promising indeed. We have never seen it looking better. The weather since the close of winter has been exceedingly favorable for the young wheat. It fairly smiles in the exuberance of its life and beauty. What is true of the fields of wheat in Rockingham is equally true of the wheat in Augusta, Shenandoah, and, in fact, of all the valley counties.—*Rockingham Register.*

AN attempt was recently made to assassinate Victor Emmanuel, as he was returning from a day's sporting at San Rossore. Some of the rails on the line along which he was to pass were taken up at the Campi Station, with the object of upsetting the train. The railway employees happily found out the breach in time. Several arrests are said to have been made.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Additional returns indicate that the entire Democratic ticket has been elected in Kentucky. Full returns from the Eighth and Ninth districts are not in, but so far as heard from, Young and Adams, Democrats, have a majority.

The reports of ill-treatment of prisoners and soldiers at the Dry Tortugas are found, upon investigation, to be sheer fabrications.

General Hooker has been granted leave of absence for one year from the first of June, owing to ill health. General John C. Robinson succeeds him in the command of the Department of the Lakes.

Pollard, of Richmond, having appealed to Gen. Schofield against the order of Gen. Wilcox prohibiting Pollard from delivering his lecture on the chivalry of the South, Gen. Schofield has sustained the order.

Judge Miller, of the United States District Court in session at Milwaukee, on Monday granted an injunction against the Directors of the Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien Railroad, prohibiting the consolidation of the Milwaukee and St. Paul with the Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien, or paying any dividends, interest, or any money on account of stock issued by the present Board of Directors.

The *Victoria Colonist*, the oldest and most widely circulated journal in Vancouver Island, British Columbia, says editorially April 30th: Nine out of every ten men of the colony, in their present state of wretchedness and poverty, would welcome annexation to the United States. These remarks were called forth by the rumor that England was about to sell her possessions to the United States.

It is stated that T. Parker Scott, recently elected Judge of the new City Court of Baltimore, has appointed Commodore Hollins, ex-commander of the rebel steam ram, chief crier of his court, and also some other Confederates to other offices in said court.

Alexander Cummings, of Philadelphia, has resigned his place as Governor of Colorado, and entered his securities as Internal Revenue Collector of the Fourth District of Pennsylvania.

It is said the President has decided to compromise between not going South at all and going upon a general tour by going direct to Raleigh, and remaining one day and night there and then returning to Washington. He will consequently be gone three or four days.

A Washington special says Postmaster General Randall has decided to dispense with the publication of lists of uncalled for letters. The lists will hereafter be posted upon the bulletin boards of the various post offices, and such papers as desire can print them.

Two failures were reported yesterday in the New York cattle market, the result of recent speculations, one for sixty thousand and another for twenty thousand dollars.

It is reported that there has been a falling out between Edwin Booth and ex-manager Stuart, the result of which is that the former will not have any interest in the new theater which the latter, with John Brougham, is about to erect on the site of the Moffat Museum, Union Square, but Booth's friends say he, too, will have a theater himself before the Stuart-Brougham combination goes into effect.

It is stated that the friends of Jeff. Davis are alarmed at what seems to be his certain fate, on being shut up in the Henrico county jail in less than ten days, and being beyond the reach of the President. They are now pushing boldly for his pardon, and seem sanguine of success, having petitioned Davis to condescend to ask pardon as a mere matter of form. They will in a few days have the necessary papers before the President. Judge Underwood is resolute in his opinion that treason being punishable with death, is not a bailable crime. He will require the United States Marshal to execute writs placed in his hands, and produce Jeff. Davis on May 13th, at Richmond, the President having agreed already to deliver him up.

The Secretary of War has issued a circular to the agents of the Freedmen's Bureau, giving directions as to the distribution of the special fund as provided by joint resolution passed by Congress and approved March 30th, 1867. The Assistant Commissioners are detailed to see that none but the very destitute receive relief, and which is to consist of one bushel of corn and eight pounds of meal per month for each additional person, and one-half the above amount of corn and meal for each child between one and four years of age, and this issue of food will be discontinued as soon as early vegetables and fruits shall be grown. It is further directed that the Assistant Commissioners appoint additional agents whenever it is absolutely necessary, for the special purpose of issuing these supplies, to whom the oath of loyalty prescribed by the act of Congress, approved July 24, 1862, will be administered. No one who cannot subscribe to the same shall receive such appointment.

STATE ITEMS.

A paragraph is going the rounds of the papers that a young man employed in a rolling mill at Bethlehem, in this State, has fallen heir to an estate valued at $8,000,000.

Thomas Hoge, of Franklin, Venango county, is announced as an anti-move-the-county-seat candidate for the Legislature.

Gustave Krause, a traveling agent, fell between the cars of the Oil Creek Railroad, near Corry, on Friday morning, was run over by the entire train and instantly killed.

Michael Dailey, the treasurer of a "circle" of Fenians in the oil regions, and who absconded with the cash belonging to the concern, was tried and has been discharged, owing to some informality in the charges.

With one or two exceptions, business men who were burned out at the recent fire at Petroleum Center, have concluded to re-establish their business there.

The Venango County Court having refused to grant any liquor license in Pithole, it is thought that the number of dry holes in that section will be largely increased.

A young man named Charles Comstock died very suddenly at Warren, on Sunday night last, from the effects of swallowing a fragment of oyster shell. He was buried by the Free Masons on Wednesday.

On Thursday, the engine and baggage car of a train on the Warren & Franklin Railroad, ran off the track, about five miles above Oil City. The engine and tender were badly damaged, the front of the baggage car stove in, and the track torn up. Fortunately no person was injured. The fireman was thrown into the river, but escaped with a wetting. There was a derrick down the bank against which the engine struck, thus saving the balance of the train from being drawn over the embankment, and the loss of life which must in that event have occurred. The loss to the company will be about $5,000.

The detective police of Philadelphia arrested a man on Saturday night, at Sixth and Market streets, having in his possession $500 of the similitude of American half eagles. He also had six Mexican silver dollars of the same base character. He gave the name of W. J. Bishop, and hails from Western Virginia. On his person was a letter recommending him as a worthy agent for the distressed people of the South. He was held for trial.

Senator Wilson in the South.

Senator Wilson left Charleston for Savannah on Saturpay morning, but after getting out to sea the boat had to put back on account of a severe storm. General Sickles, General Scott and many of the prominent citizens have paid him all due attention. He abandons his contemplated visit to Beaufort and Savannah, and has gone to Augusta. From there he goes to Montgomery, thence to Mobile, thence to New Orleans, and from there he ascends the Mississippi. He purposes speaking at various points in Tennessee and Kentucky on his way north. In his second speech in Charleston on Friday night, Mr. Wilson referred to the intimations which are being made, that colored men who vote with the Republican party may lose employment and be turned out of their cabins and holdings, and he said that would be the first act towards confiscation, if it should take place. He thought it very likely that Congress would regard it as a violation of the reconstruction law, which contemplates the free exercise of manhood suffrage, and would confiscate the property of men so offending. He himself would support such a measure; but if the reconstruction act was carried out fairly and impartially, and proper persons were chosen as Senators and Representatives, he believed the rebel States would be readmitted, and that no measure of confiscation would be resorted to.

THE RAINING TREE.—The island of Fierro is one of the largest in the Canary Group, and it has received its name on account of its iron-bound soil, through which no river or stream flows. It has also but very few wells, and these not very good. But the great Preserver and Sustainer of all remedies this inconvenience in a way so extraordinary, that man will be forced to acknowledge that He gives in this an undeniable demonstration of His wonderful goodness. In the midst of the island there grows a tree, the leaves of which are long and narrow, and continues in constant verdure winter and summer, and the branches are covered with a cloud which is never dispelled, but, resolving itself into a moisture, causes to fall from its leaves a very clear water, in such abundance that cisterns placed at its foot to receive it are never empty.

The workingmen of St. Louis held a large meeting Monday evening, at which resolutions were adopted, declaring that they would enforce the eight-hour law and accept a reasonable reduction of wages.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

The Elections Yesterday—Republican Tickets Generally Successful.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 7.—The election for city officers here to-day resulted in the success of the Republican ticket by one or two hundred majority. The Democrats gain four or five Councilmen.

At Lawrenceburg, Ind., the Republican ticket is elected by fifty to one hundred majority.

At Fort Wayne the entire Republican ticket is elected.

In Cambridge City the Temperance ticket was successful over the Democratic and Republican tickets.

Richmond elects a Democratic Mayor by eleven majority.

In Terre Haute the entire Democratic ticket is elected by two hundred to three hundred majority.

FROM CHICAGO.

Eight-Hour Troubles Subsiding—Work Generally Resumed.

CHICAGO, May 7.—The troubles growing out of the eight-hour movement are rapidly subsiding. Some feeble attempts were made yesterday to create a disturbance, but were speedily suppressed by the police. We hear of no demonstrations to-day. Work has been resumed in a large number of manufacturing establishments, in some the employees working on the old ten-hour system, with no change in wages, while in others they are working eight hours with twenty per cent. reduction in pay.

From New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—The street car question is settled. The Chief of Police has issued an order forbidding interference with negroes on any car.

The steamer Young America, from Indianola for New Orleans, went ashore on Saluro Island in a gale last Saturday. The crew were saved. The cargo was of cattle, mostly lost in the hurricane Sunday.

The Mississippi burst its banks below the city, destroying the telegraph lines for a considerable distance.

From Canada.

MONTREAL, May 7.—A Cabinet Council will be held on Friday. All the Ministers in the country will be present, including Cartier, who is on board the Nestorian. It is understood Hon. Mr. McDougall will be the leader of the Reform in this section for the Government from Upper Canada.

The Engineer officers have commenced preliminary operations in regard to the fortifications at Longueuil.

It is announced that Hon. John Rose will be Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick.

Tobacco Fair in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 7.—The tobacco fair and premium sale at Kenton warehouse, Covington, Ky., of leaf tobacco, was largely attended. Dealers from all the principal cities were present. The first premium was awarded to B. K. Davis, of Owen county, Ky., and sold to Spence, Bros. & Co., of Cincinnati, for $40 25 per hundred. The second premium to John Jewett, of Owen county, Ky., and sold to J. H. Ropke, of Louisville, for $30 per hundred. The premium was $30 in gold.

From Richmond.

RICHMOND, May 7.—A negro to-day attempted to ride in one of the cars appropriated to whites, but was put off. The case was laid before the Grand Jury of the United States Court.

A large meeting of negroes to-night was addressed by Mr. Hayward, of Massachusetts, and Marsh, of Virginia. Both favored confiscation.

Arrival of Steamers.

BOSTON, May 7.—The steamer Concordia, from Liverpool on the 17th has arrived.

HALIFAX, May 7.—The steamer China, from Liverpool on the 27th, and Queenstown on the 28th, has arrived. Her news was anticipated by the cable.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The steamship City of Limerick, from Liverpool on the 20th, arrived.

Meeting of American Medical Association.

CINCINNATI, May 7.—The American Medical Association met at Hopkins Hall this morning. About two hundred and fifty delegates were present, representing all parts of the Union. The convention will last several days.

Mysterious Disappearance.

AUGUSTA, May 7.—Patrick Gray, a member of the dry goods firm of Gray & Turley, mysteriously disappeared Saturday night, since which time nothing has been heard of him.

Maryland Constitutional Convention.

BALTIMORE, May 7.—The Maryland Constitutional Convention meets at Annapolis tomorrow.

CLASTIC ANATOMY.—M. Anzoux the projector in France of clastic anatomy, by which is meant specimens of human and vegetable types faithfully reproduced, each part of which, though composed of a solid material, may easily be taken to pieces and put together again, has a superb collection of his productions at the Paris exhibition. Among these, is a clastic horse. This horse separates into two hundred pieces, which take off over the other, as in dissection, from the external surface to the bones of the skeleton. Every cavity of the chest and abdomen, and each organ contained, can be separately taken out and handled. This steed costs no less than 4,000 francs, yet every cavalry regiment in France possesses one for the instruction of the men. The anatomical preparations of M. Anzoux, says a correspondent, are admitted by all *savans* as being the most complete and perfect means for a student to acquire the science of anatomy and physiology, which can thus be attained without passing through the bloody ordeal of the dissecting room of an hospital or of veterinary schools.

THE grant of the Legislature of New York for a Franco-American Telegraph Cable has been approved by Governor Fenton, and we learn that a certified copy will be immediately dispatched to France, where the Imperial Government is ready to promote, in the most substantial way, the new enterprise directly between Brest and the city of New York. The bill grants to Mr. William Orton and his associates, successors and assigns, the exclusive right, for twenty years, to lay Telegraphic Cables from this State to the Empire of France, and to work the same; on the condition that the grantees, within the period of two years, shall have the telegraphic communication established and in successful operation, with the reservation that the State of New York may at any time have reasonable precedence in the use of the Cable, and the power to assign this right, from time to time, to the Government of the United States.

A Washington correspondent says the facts in regard to the pardon of Solomon Kohnstamm, as shown by the official record here, are these: Something over a year ago the friends of the prisoner filed a petition with the President for the release of Kohnstamm. Among the matters alleged in the petition are that the accused was innocent of criminal intent; that he was already an old man that was failing rapidly, with certainty of death very soon; that he was partially demented, and would soon become completely *non compos mentis*; and that he had already been imprisoned several years. The regular physician, Chaplain, and Warden, and visiting medical adviser, certified and proved the facts as to Kohnstamm's mental and physical condition. Beside, it is shown that the prisoner has paid to the Government $55,000, the amount claimed to be fraudulently received by the prisoner, and that the Hon. Edwards Pierrepont, the Government prosecuting officer, has withdrawn his opposition to the granting of the pardon.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IN JAPAN.—The Japanese punish murder by decapitation; parricide and other such heinous crimes by crucifixion. A prisoner sentenced to death is taken to the place of execution, surrounded by the officers, and having hung around his neck a placard, giving his name, age and rank, with his crime, and sentence. After his execution his head is left suspended in sight for three days, with the placard still hanging to it. Arson is punished by burning the criminal at the stake, yet as enforced, this penalty does not bring a very painful death. The criminal is first kept on a very scanty allowance of food for some time. Then, before being taken out for execution, he is overfed on rich and highly spiced viands, till he becomes stupid and indifferent. He is fastened to the stake, and wood and light materials are heaped about him. These are lighted at the same moment in several different places, and the victim is smothered by the smoke as quickly as he could be strangled by a rope.

La Turquie, the organ of the Turkish Government, says the Russia-American Treaty is "an alliance offensive and defensive, an event in presence of which all preconceived opinions become dim, and have no more than a secondary importance. We have not hesitated from the beginning to tear away the veils and produce in its nakedness what we conceive to be the truth. Either we are entirely deceived, or the announcement of such a treaty, bursting like a bomb in the midst of very complicated situations charged with tempests, has raised not merely in France, but through all Western Europe, immense feeling." Further on it says: "From all we have stated, we think we are authorized to conclude that the American alliance is specially directed against England, the rather that by seizing upon Constantinople, Russia would give a mortal blow to English domination in India."

Southern Sentiment.

"Mack" is travelling in the South and writing letters to the Cincinnati *Commercial*. In one dated Atlanta, April 30, he says:

You will hear a great many regrets expressed in this section at the failure of the South to accept the constitutional amendment; they will generally be coupled, however, with a statement that, in rejecting it, the people only took the advice of Northern Democrats, and especially of President Johnson. A dozen men of this city have said so to me. One of the leading politicians of the old *regime* told me yesterday that if it hadn't been for the Northern Democrats and the President, Georgia would have ratified that amendment, and thought herself lucky in getting off so easy. "But," said he, "Johnson killed it. I told them it was the best chance we'd get, and that we ought to adopt it; but Johnson and the Democrats kept writing to us to reject it, and they'd get us back through the Philadelphia Convention without any conditions. Northern Democrats came here directly from Washington, with a message from Johnson to make no compromise with the Radicals, and of course we wanted to make the best bargain we could—though I never believed we'd get a better one than that amendment."

There is no mistaking the very agreeable fact that the Southern people are beginning to learn the folly of relying upon the Northern Democratic party. The wonder is they didn't learn it from the war, or that they ever entertained a doubt that if there had been no Northern Democracy there would have been no Southern rebellion. If the Southern leaders hadn't been assured of a fire in the rear party in the North, they never would have engaged in the war; but when the time came for the fire in the rear to commence, the men who were to have gotten it up had all gone into their holes and dragged the holes in after them. However, there is a sufficient awakening in the public mind hereabout, now, to keep prominent before it the fact that if the present conditions of reconstruction are degrading, the Northern Democracy and Andrew Johnson are to blame—and that's a great point gained. A wholesome disgust for the Northern Copperheads ought to commend the Southern people to the good favor of honest men more than negro suffrage, or any kindred measure, for it indicates real and essential progress in the right direction. And it is growing. You will hear it every day in the South in quarters where you least expected it; and I am very much mistaken if there will be the least trouble in forming a large and powerful party in the South to coalesce with any party in the North—except the Radical agrarians—in opposition to the Democracy.

American Archaeology.

The London *Spectator* thinks it would be worth the while of two or three of the learned English Societies to combine and make a thorough exploration of American ruins through men who know well the ruins of early Asiatic Art. Those who have studied these ruins are, it says, certain that an Asiatic civilization, or two civilizations, or many civilizations was or were imported into America, flourished and passed away, leaving no histories in written words and no record except in works. It would be far more interesting, as well as more important, it thinks, to ascertain, if possible, beyond all doubt whether civilized races have existed, and have perished in America, as in Cambodia, than to discover the particular relation of some tribe in Central Africa to another tribe within the limits of the Cape. "These monuments," it continues, "will not last forever, and before they perish, before the white man has disturbed them, they should be thoroughly examined, described and photographed by explorers who have a deep knowledge of the far East." The Edinburgh *Review* likewise suggests America as a new, interesting and valuable field for the Geographical, Archaeological or Ethnological Societies of England, and remarks among other things:

From Guatemala to Upper Canada, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean, the surface is strewn with stupendous ruins of pyramidal temples and tumuli, intrenched camps and fortifications, walled towns and villages, amphitheaters and pictorial grottoes, embankments and bridges, towers and obelisks, wells and aqueducts, high roads and causeways, gardens and artificial meadows; the greater part of which were designed, constructed, and maintained by numerous intelligent, and skillful races of men, who have long since disappeared from the several scenes of their labor bequeathing to posterity no written, nor even a solitary traditional memorial of themselves or of their ancestors.

CITY MATTERS.

THE OAKLAND TOWNSHIP HOMICIDE.

Coroner's Investigation—Verdict of the Jury—Release of Young McCloskey on Bail.

The jury empanneled by Coroner Clawson to inquire into the facts connected with the death of John Joyce, who died on Sunday night from injuries received at the house of Mr. Welte, in Oakland township, assembled yesterday morning at nine o'clock at the Mayor's office. The following is an abstract of the evidence elicited:

Dr. A. C. Murdoch testified that he held a post-mortem examination on the body of deceased, and found an abrasion, about an inch in length, above the left eye, and one below the left ear. The marks were such as would result from falling against a rough substance, or might have been inflicted by the toe of a boot. No other marks were visible. Witness opened the back part of the neck, and found the head and neck very much congested, a large amount of blood having flown to the head. The neck was also dislocated, which was of itself sufficient to cause death. Never opened a body which had so much retained blood. The stroke on the neck was sufficient to have caused the congestion. The dislocation might have resulted from falling against some object.

James Meharra testified that on Sunday night, while at Mr. Welte's house, Joyce commenced joking with O'Hanlon about being "cut out" from his girl; O'Hanlon said that he was tired of this joking, and rose from his seat, when he and McCloskey commenced to quarrel; saw Joyce fall, and saw McCloskey kick him; Joyce gave a kind of cry and that was the last; the whole affair was done inside of two minutes; the party had been drinking but all were apparently sober, no other persons were in the fight.

Edward Skees testified to being present during the difficulty between McCloskey and Joyce; saw McCloskey strike deceased with his fist, but did not see him kick him. Joyce fell near a table, but witness could not say whether he struck it or not.

John West testified to seeing McCloskey strike Joyce twice on the face, and as he struck the second time Joyce fell; witness lifted Joyce up, when McCloskey told him to throw him into the gutter; McCloskey did not appear to think that Joyce had been injured seriously.

Mary Welte testified that McCloskey struck Joyce in the face and kicked him at the same time; Joyce fell upon the floor and when he was lifted up he was dead; McCloskey said there was nothing wrong with him, that he was only senseless, and going to the mantlepiece took down an ear of corn, saying: "Put this in his mouth to bring him to." He was laughing when he said this, and did not appear to think that Joyce was dead; no other person struck Joyce; thought Joyce struck his head against a chair, but was not sure.

Other witnesses were examined, but no new facts were stated. The jury then returned the following verdict: "That the deceased came to his death from the effect of a blow or blows inflicted by James McCloskey, on Sunday evening, May 5th, in Oakland township, at the house of Charles Welte.

Upon the rendition of the verdict, McCloskey was committed to jail, upon a warrant issued by the Mayor. Coroner Clawson also lodged a warrant against him at the instance of the District Attorney. At two o'clock in the afternoon McCloskey was taken before Judges Sterrett and Mellon on a writ of *habeas corpus*, sued out by his attorneys, Messrs. Coyle and Swartzwelder. The testimony taken before the Coroner's jury was read to the Court by District Attorney Duff, who remarked that in his opinion it was a bailable case. The court coincided with Mr. Duff, and fixed the bail at six thousand dollars. Messrs. Robert and Peter Conley entered into sureties for that amount for the appearance of the prisoner at the next term of court, when he was released.

Allegheny Board of Control.

A stated meeting of the Allegheny Board of Controllers of Public Schools, was held last evening at the Fourth Ward School House, Sandusky street. Present: Messrs. Barr, Brown, Boyle, Barker, Benney, Chadwick, Francis, Kay, King, Loomis, Lockhart, McClinton, McCance, Pitcairn, Ross, Scott, Thorn, Young and President Clark.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The report of the First Ward Board, stating that the schools were in an extremely flourishing condition, was read and accepted.

The Second Ward Board reported that the attendance at the schools which they represented was larger during the month of April than in the winter months. Messrs. Lee and King having removed from the ward, the Board reported that Mr. Alex. Leggate had been appointed to fill the place of Mr. King, and Mr. John Thompson to fill the place of Mr. Lee. Resolutions highly complimentary to the ability with which Mr. Lee had discharged his duties, were presented and passed unanimously.

Mr. Brown also stated that Mr. King had removed from the city to Reserve township, and that under the law he was not entitled to a seat in the Board. Mr. King enjoyed the respect and confidence of the Board, but their duty in the matter was imperative.

Mr. King, in explanation, stated that when he removed to Observatory Hill, in Reserve township, he had concluded to resign his position in the School Board, but being a resident of that part of the township lately incorporated by Act of Assembly into the city of Allegheny, and which, under the new division of wards would fall within the boundaries of the Second ward, he had been advised not to resign, and asked the Board to hold the matter over for the present.

After considerable discussion, Mr. Scott stated that the Board had not, in his opinion, any jurisdiction, and moved that the matter of Mr. King's eligibility be referred back to the Local Board.

Mr. Young moved that the appointments of the Local Board of the Second Ward be confirmed.

Mr. Scott opposed the amendment, believing that it would be a bad precedent to establish.

The yeas and nays were then taken on the amendment (the members from the Second ward being excused from voting), resulting, yeas 7, nays 9. The amendment was declared lost.

The original motion, referring the matter back to the Second Ward Board, was then adopted, and that portion of the report substituting Mr. Thompson in place of Mr. Lee, was confirmed.

Reports from the Third and Fourth Ward Boards, and from the Principal of the colored schools, were read and adopted.

Mr. Brown offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five to confer with the Committee on Division of Wards, of City Councils, in order that the school interests should not be overlooked. The resolution was adopted, and Messrs. Scott, Brown, Barr, Loomis, and Ross appointed said committee.

A communication from Messrs. Moore & Chambers was submitted by the Secretary, proposing to dispose of their lot and shop on Webster street, to be used for the purpose of a colored school, for the sum of $6,000.

Mr. Brown stated that a lot on Poplar street, Third ward, could be obtained for $1,200.

A motion authorizing the Committee on Colored Schools to purchase the lot recommended by Mr. Brown was adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

REV. W. A. SNIVELY, former pastor of Union Chapel, Cincinnati, and now of St. Andrews' Protestant Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, has received a call to a prominent church in Philadelphia, which, it is said, he will accept.

The above appears in the Cincinnati *Commercial*. While it is true, Rev. Snively has received a flattering call, we are informed that he designs to remain with the congregation of St. Andrews'.

THE ALLEGHENY FAIR.—The Allegheny Fair, on Washington street, Allegheny city, is still open, and the articles on exhibition are much admired. Excellent refreshments are dispensed at well-filled tables, and the festival, in every respect, is well worth visiting.

A. H. Stephens, the Rebel V. P.

A. H. Stephens is little seen or heard of. He is at his home at Crawfordsville, on the road between here and Augusta, practicing law. His views on the reconstruction question are not known. They have been repeatedly given, but not having originated from himself, have been as repeatedly contradicted. I heard something recently in connection with the election of Mr. Stephens to the United States Senate, which I have not seen in print, and which I think ought to be published, in justice to the President; for if poor Andy doesn't need a little justice, who does? It is this: Mr. Stephens, as is well known, did not desire to be elected. He told his friends so; but they urged it upon him. General Jim Steedman was the man who had most to do with it. He happened to be in the interior of Georgia at the time in a military command, I think—and took great interest in the matter—representing the views, no doubt, of the Northern War Democracy, with which he acted politically. Steedman telegraphed to Johnson to know if it would be advisable to elect Stephens. The President replied very decidedly in the negative saying that Mr. Stephens was on parole, and ought not to meddle in politics at all. His advice was not taken, and Stephens was elected. It will be remembered that many Radical papers of the North accused Mr. Johnson of aiding in the election of Stephens, and spoke of it as an insult to the North, etc. What I state here I have from a man who has in his possession the correspondence that passed between Steedman and the President.—*Atlanta Cor. Cin. Com.*

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WANTED—FARMERS—One hundred Farmers to engage in a business that will pay from $100 to $150 per month from now until next spring. Address JONES BROTHERS & CO., 507 Minor street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—SASH MANUFACTURERS AND HOUSE BUILDERS—To examine Barney's Patent Flush and Safety Sash. Model to be seen at this office. Rights will be sold.

WANTED—TO SELL—The right of sale in Allegheny county, Pa., of a Valuable Patent. For particulars address E. A., this office.

WANTED--AGENTS.

WANTED—AGENT—A General Agent for a first-class Life Insurance Co. Must understand the business thoroughly and come well recommended. Territory will comprise Twenty-seven Counties in Western Pa. Call on B. C. THARRATT, St. Charles Hotel.

WANTED—AGENTS—For General L. C. Baker's History of the Secret Service. This work was announced more than a year ago, but owing to the attempts of the Government to suppress it, its publication was delayed. It will now be issued, unaltered and unabridged, under the supervision of Gen. Baker, whose marvelous narratives are all attested by the highest official authority. The morals of the National Capital are thoroughly ventilated, and there are some strange revelations concerning Heads of Departments, Members of Congress, Female Pardon Brokers, and distinguished military characters. Send for Circulars and see our terms, and a full description of the work. Address, P. GARRETT & CO., 702 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—Two elegantly Furnished Rooms. Apply at No. 55 Second street.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—Underneath the Academy of Music, suitable for Eating House or Restaurant. Apply at No. 57 Hand street.

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FOR RENT—ROOMS—Two desirable Rooms for Offices or Sample Rooms. Inquire at No. 105 Fifth street.

FOR RENT—SALESROOM—Very desirable Salesroom on the second floor, corner of Fifth and Market streets. Well lighted room, easy of access; entrance on Fifth. Inquire of H. RICHARDSON & CO.

FOR RENT—TO OIL REFINERS—The Humboldt Refinery, situated on the line of the Farmers Railway, near Plummer, Venango, Pennsylvania. Capacity 225 barrels of refined oil per day. The works are complete and in good order, with pipes, engines and pumps, for pumping the crude from the Tarr Farm. Tankage for 10,000 barrels crude oil. For particulars apply to GEORGE WORTHINGTON & CO., Cleveland, or on the premises.

FOR RENT—STABLING—Twenty-five Stalls, corner Third and Wood streets. Apply to J. C. BUFFUM & CO., 22 and 24 Market st., Pittsburgh. tf

FOR RENT—OFFICES OR LODGING ROOMS—Two desirable rooms, third floor Savings Bank Building, corner Liberty street and Virgin alley. Rent low. Inquire at Bank.

FOR RENT—ROOM—A neatly furnished Sleeping Room, near Fort Wayne Depot. Terms low. Inquire at No. 45 Fayette street.

FOR RENT—RESIDENCES—Four modern built suburban Residences in the neighborhood of Lawrenceville, on the Citizens' Passenger Railway. Possession immediately. For terms, &c., apply at No. 66 Third street.

FOR SALE--CITY.

FOR SALE—BENCHES—About Forty Benches, suitable for Lecture Rooms or Sabbath School. Apply to W. A. McCLURG, 57 Hand st.

FOR SALE—RIVETING MACHINE—To Boiler, Bridge and Tank Makers: The "LITTLE GIANT" Riveting Machine. On bridge or girder work it will drive from 6,000 to 7,000 rivets per day; tank work 4,000 to 6,000; boilers and flue works 2,000 to 3,000. It requires to work it three men and one boy. Also, 2 Turning Lathes, in good order. Apply at Standard Oil Work, Collins township, or at the office in Pittsburgh, 2 St. Clair st.

FOR SALE—HORSES—One large, heavy draft Horse; also, one light buggy Horse. Apply at No. 105 Fifth street.

FOR SALE—DRUG STORE—A retail and prescription Drug Store, on one of the leading thoroughfares in this city, doing a good business. Term easy. Address K. L. Commercial Office.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—FOUNTAINS—One hundred and fifty small Iron Soda Fountains (containing three gallons each). To any one wishing to start the Soda Water business here or elsewhere, this is a rare chance. Address ARMSTRONG, BRO. & CO., or call at corner of High and Pennsylvania avenue.

FOR SALE—STEAMBOAT HULL—A new Steamboat Hull, now lying at Gilmore's Coal Barge Landing, at mouth of Cork's Run, two miles below Pittsburgh. Dimensions as follows: 130 feet length, 24 feet beam, 4 feet hold; guards 2½ feet; timbers 2½x5; plank in bottom 3 inches; sides 2 and 2½ inches. If not sold at private sale, it will be offered at public auction on the 8th day of May next at 10 o'clock A. M. JAMES BLACKMORE, 134 Water street, Pittsburgh. eod

FOR SALE—PROPERTY—Thirteen Acres of excellent Land, property of the late John S. Cosgrave, situate at the foot of Squirrel Hill, and within five minutes' walk of Laughlin's Station, on the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad, especially suitable for Vineyard Purposes and Building Lots. For terms, &c., apply to S. A. COSGRAVE, Pittsburgh Steel Works, corner Ross and First streets. eod-tf

FOR SALE—OIL REFINERY—All the fixtures and appurtenances of an Oil Refinery, consisting of Tanks, Pipes, one Still, hand Agitator, &c., &c., situated on the property of the late John S. Cosgrave, near Laughlin's Station, on the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad. For terms, &c., apply to S. A. COSGRAVE, Pittsburgh Steel Works, corner Ross and First streets. eod-tf

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOT—A beautiful Building Lot of 2½ acres, at Shady Side Station, Pennsylvania Railroad. JOHN D. BAILEY, No. 102 Fourth street.

FOR SALE—WINDOW SASH—A complete Window Sash, novel and handsome. The upper and lower Sash are flush, appearing as one, yet by an ingenious method they pass each other when not closed. Perfect safety secured. Old Sash can be altered at small expense. Rights will be sold.

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FOR SALE—BRICK HOUSE—I will sell to the highest bidder, my new Brick House in Bellaire, Ohio, containing one first class store room, five rooms for dwelling; also, a good cellar, situated on the corner of First and Water streets, in the most desirable part of the town. Sale positively on Thursday, May 9, 1867. JOHN JEFFERSON.
Bellaire, Ohio, April 29, 1867.

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FOR SALE--REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—TRACT OF LAND—A valuable Farm of 52 acres, situate at Nine Mile Run, being 9 miles from Pittsburgh, on the Connellsville Railroad. This property is susceptible of being laid out into country seats and building lots, or for gardening purposes, as the soil is very rich and has a Southern exposure. There are 2 or 3 very valuable springs on the property. It will be sold on reasonable terms, as the owner has moved to the East. Apply at the Real Estate and Insurance Office of G. F. BATES, Butler street, Lawrenceville.

FOR SALE—FARM—A Farm of 160 Acres, 11 miles east of the city on Pennsylvania Railroad; large new Brick House, soft water at the door. Will be sold for cash or on time. Improved city property taken in part payment, or will be divided to suit purchasers. Apply to W. W. PATRICK, at Jones & Nimick Manufacturing Company. TThs

FOR SALE—COUNTRY SITES—Sites for country residences in Allegheny county, Pa., and Missouri Lands for sale. A number of beautifully located building lots of one, two, three, four and five acres each, at Brodhead Station, on the Pittsburgh and Steubenville R. R., in the Valley of Chartiers, about three miles from Pittsburgh, and immediately adjacent to the Pittsburgh and Steubenville turnpike. Also, two acres, chiefly wood land, in Chartiers township, ten minutes' walk from Ingram Station, on Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad. Also 572 acres of Timber Land in St. Louis county, Missouri, eighteen miles from St. Louis, and one-half mile from the Maramec Station of the Union Pacific Railroad, situate on the Maramec river, which empties into the Mississippi river about eighteen miles below St. Louis. This tract is covered with timber of the best description, chiefly white oak. If preferred, will be sold in seperate pieces of 94 acres each. For terms and particulars apply to S. F. VON BONNHORST, at People's Savings Bank, No. 77 Fourth street.

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MAY 8TH, 1867.

Flour, Dayton Snow Flake	$16 00	Cheese, W. R.	15c
Flour, Jenkins' Eureka, Ex. Winter	$15 25 to 15 50	Eggs	15c
		Apples, ℔ bbl.	$4 00 to 5 00
		Dried Apples, prime	9 to 10c
Flour, Jenkins' Lily, choice	15 25	Dried Peaches, prime	15c
Flour, Desplaines' and Sears' best	$14 75 to 15 00	Salt, ℔ bbl.	$2 55
		Candles	15c
		Soap	5, 6, 7 to 10c
Flour, McGregors' and Kimberly's, choice	14 75	No. 3 Mackerel, ℔ bbl.	$16 50
		Lard, choice city	13 to 13½c
Flour, Liscomb and Crossett's Crescent	14 50	Tallow, country	11½ to 12½c
Rye Flour, ℔ bbl.	10 00	Bacon, Sides	12c
Corn Meal, ℔ bush.	1 25	Bacon, Shoulders	12c
Buckwheat F., ℔ cwt	3 75		9½ to 10c
Wheat	$3 00 to 3 25	Bacon, Hams, Sugar Cured	15½ to 16c
Rye	1 65		
Oats	65c		
Corn in Ear	1 00	Bacon, Mess Pork	$23 50
Corn, Shelled	1 10	Buckets	3 25
Barley	90c	Brooms	$2 50 to 3 25
Barley, Fall	1 25	Refined Oil, White	42c
Potatoes, choice, ℔ bbl	$2 75 to 3 00	Coffee	23 to 27c
		Sugars, Brown	10½ to 14c
Potatoes, F. Blows, ℔ bush	90c	Sugars, Refined, hard	18c
		Sugars, A Coffee	15c
Onions, ℔ bbl.	$3 75 to 4 00	Sugars, B Coffee	14½c
Timothy Seed, dull	2 75	Sugars, Extra C	14½c
		Teas, Black	75c to $1 20
Clover Seed, dull	10 00	Teas, Green	90c to 1 65
Flax Seed	2 95	Syrups	55c to 1 00
Middlings, prime	2 35	Molasses	75 to 85c
Beans, prime Navy	3 00	Sorghum	50c
		Rice	10½ to 11½c
Butter, prime Roll, small pkgs	25 to 30c		

Flour Market much excited, and selling readily at prices quoted. I will fill all orders at the lowest possible rates, but remittances must be attended to. Shippers and dealers must give their Postoffice address, also their shipping station.

FOR SALE.

MT. VERNON GROVE.

A MAGNIFICENT COUNTRY SEAT, situated on the Ohio river, four miles from the city, and a few rods from Neville Station, on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, in a pleasant neighborhood, surrounded by beautiful country houses, near to New Brighton Turnpike, and within a short distance of Postoffice, Store, School House and handsome Church.

This very desirable Grove contains TWENTY-SEVEN ACRES, (27) with a front of sixteen hundred feet on the Ohio river, and Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, and the handsome forest trees being a proper distance from each other, and having a protection from the cold northwestern winds in winter by the adjoining property, makes it both a pleasant retreat in summer, and a warm location for a home in winter. The ground is elevated sufficiently to prevent annoyance from the railroad, and commands a grand view of the Ohio river, and surrounding country from Manchester to the foot of Neville Island. It is watered by several never-failing springs of good water, and the forest trees are chiefly fine large oaks, maple, with a few chestnut and hickory.

Those desiring a rare and beautiful location for a country home, would do well to visit Mount Vernon Grove. Belonging to this property is a valuable Eddy, and close by the railroad there is sufficient stone for any building purposes. It is a splendid site for a shipping yard for coal, or for manufacturing purposes. For further particulars, inquire of

JOHN D. BAILEY,

NO. 102 FOURTH STREET.

SETTLEMENT OF THE SEVERAL ACCOUNTS of JOSEPH STONER, Treasurer of Local Bounty of Penn township, as required by a Supplement to Act of Assembly approved April 11, 1866.

1864. Joseph Stoner, Treasurer, Dr. To amount received of Collector, $5,740 40; Cr. By amount paid recruits, expenses, &c., $5,740 40. 1865. Joseph Stoner, Treasurer, Dr. To amount received of Collector, $9,307 31; Cr. By amount paid recruits, expenses, &c., $9,293 94; by Treasurer's commission, one-half per cent., $46 53; total, $9,340 45; balance due Treasurer, $33 14. 1866. Joseph Stoner, Treasurer, Dr. To amount received of Collector, $8,012 96; Cr. By amount paid recruits, expenses, &c., $7,907 52; by balance due Treasurer, 1865, $33 14; by commission, one-half per cent. $40 06; total, $7,980 72; balance due Township, $32 24.

J. W. Deak, C. Snively, J. L. Stotler, Auditors.
Penn Township, April 30, 1867. d

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...ork *Times*, with a gentle cir-...a that, like a gossamer veil on a ...ce, softens without concealing its and meaning, indicates some concern about the President's proposed visit to North Carolina. The recollection of the swing Northward last year, evidently makes the *Times* nervous at the thought of what may occur this year, through Mr. JOHNSON'S oratorical propensity. So, in the most unobtrusive style and manner possible it expresses the hope that "he will not feel it to be his duty to make any political speeches, and that he will not yield to temptations to do so.

And again, apparently with a still more vivid apparition of last Fall's performances before its eyes, the *Times* quietly aids the Presidents self-knowledge by refreshing his recollection, in the following words: "Mr. JOHNSON, though a very eloquent and effective popular orator, does not happily combine that character with the *dignity and sense of propriety essential to his office.*" What a soft and silky cataplasm that is! Yet, on any skin tenderer than that of a rhinoceros, it must sting like a mustard plaster.

CHICAGO UNDER THE LAW.

Had the unthinking majority understood the nature of wages and the character of the eight hour law, they never would have thought it worth their while to split their throats shouting it through. The delusion under which they have strangely acted is completely demonstrated by the first three days in Chicago under the law. The charm is dissolved as soon as the law is applied to practice, and confronted with the stern majesty of laws more imperative and controling than any naked and arbitrary statute. The *reach* of the law has been entirely miscalculated, and it is found, like a ladder that is too short, not to effect the object contemplated by probably the majority of its admirers.

This has been already admitted. The dissatisfaction of the unthinking masses is indicated by the insolent and unlawful attempts to supplement the inefficiency of the statute by riotous violence and compulsion. The better class of workmen, who have respect for law and the rights of others, and whose views should be respected, have expressed their disposition to proportion their pay to their labor, honestly rendering a *prid pro quo*, as formerly. And the *Republican*, which has been an advocate of the law, now evidently seeing its failure, wisely counsels all to maintain good behavior and to work for wages proportioned by the old rule, to their work. The *Republican* also extols warmly the action of those employers, naming several, who "have nobly led the way toward reconciliation, by agreeing that their workmen shall all resume work, working eight hours, receiving eight hours' wages for the eight hours, and extra pay per hour for all over or extreme." This, which the *Republican* pronounces "a sensible and noble example for both employers and employed, throughout the city," is substantially the old ground and nothing else. The only thing gained is, that a man may stop with eight hours' work and pay, if he chooses. So probably he might have done, by arrangement, had the famous eight hour law never been passed by the Legislature of Illinois.

HALT, THERE!

A few days ago, in Quincy, Illinois, a man proposed to make a public address, and was violently prevented by a large company of persons, armed with clubs and other means of assault. The reason was that the speaker was going to speak on Romanism, and the mob, composed of several hundreds of persons, was determined he should not speak on that subject, and prevented his doing so by their violent and menacing procedure. A few days later—last Friday—in Chicago, the same sort of agency, a large and menacing mob, stopped men from working. The reason was in effect the same for which the man in Quincy was prevented from talking. It was because the mob did not approve of their working according to their own judgment of their own interest. In the one case it was opposed to the men making their own bargain with their employers; in the other it was opposed to the speaker expressing his own private convictions on an important subject. It does not appear, in either case, that there was any interference with the legal or natural rights of others, by the Quincy orator or by the Chicago workmen.

But it does appear, that in both cases alike, the essential and central idea of civil government was trodden under foot, and the right of individual freedom of speech and action under law was wantonly invaded. In other words, that the recognized civil government, under which we live, was superceded, in both cases, by a vicious and dangerous usurpation. The sooner such acts of organized violence are punished, the safer it will be for American liberties. The majesty of the law must be maintained, or liberty will rapidly give place to the most oppressive and odious kind of despotism.

WHAT IS TO BE DONE?

The fear of detection and punishment is the only reason that keeps some persons from committing crime. The number of such persons is not small. Besides the usual crop of bad characters that springs up on every soil, we have imported by scores and hundreds the exotics of other climes, which grow and flourish with renewed vigor in this country. Hence crimes of the more terrible classes have increased and are now increasing with a rapidity that is absolutely terrific. Disguise it as we may or become insensible to or unobservent of the shocking frequency of daring crimes, the fact nevertheless remains, in all its fearful certainty and proportions, that robbery, murder, and other acts of violence and rapine are ten-fold more numerous, than they were in the days of honest, simple, unmixed American society.

These classes of crimes are not now confined to crowded cities, where the development of wickedness is always more extreme. They have of late been remarkably frequent in rural districts. In our neighboring county of Washington, for example noted as it is for its staid character and the intelligence and morality of its citizens, some of the most deliberate and daring murders have been perpetrated, from motives entirely mercenary. So it has been in the vicinity of Philadelphia. To secure themselves in case of resistance, the prowling robbers and murderers have lately gone about like wolves, in companies, and boldly attacked persons on the road or in the houses. There is consequently much alarm felt by persons living in lonely situations, as most farmers do in this country, or obliged to travel on the road alone, by day or night.

What individuals should do for their own protection, each one must decide for himself. It is a state of society not long to be borne, when many persons is obliged, for safety, to be armed as if in the constant danger of sudden and murderous assault. But there can be no doubt, that a greater degree of expedition, energy and certainty should be introduced in the administration of law and justice, and that the sickly sentimentalism about the punishment of crim-...should be dismissed. The punishment ...victed criminals should be a speedy, ...and certain thing. Law must be ...ated, or our country will become un-...

...ORNIA.—In a hurried street car conversa-...is morning, with Mr. Philip S. Van Rens-...an accomplished son of the late excellent pa-... Albany, we received such a glowing account ..."new home," in California, that we are impa-...for the completion of Dr. Durant's Union ...e Railroad, so that we may visit this distant, ...tractive portion of our heritage, teeming, as it ...with wheat fields, vineyards, fruiteries and ...productions exceeding in wealth and beauty ...st revelations of gold and silver.—*New York* ...*mist.*

...the winter of 1848-9 Mr. WEED, the ...ter of the above, wrote an article which was published in his own paper, the Albany *Evening Journal*, in which he solemnly warned our young men—who were then organizing to emigrate in thousands—not to do so foolish a thing as to leave their homes for a distant country, whose soil he said could not be made to produce enough to keep them from starving. Mr. WEED then predicted nothing but misery and failure as the lot of those who should seek their fortunes in the land which he is now so impatient to visit—the "attractive portion of an heritage teeming, as it does, with wheatfields, vineyards, fruiteries and floral productions, exceeding in wealth and beauty its vast revelations of gold and silver." If Mr. WEED would realize how, for once at least, his predictions have proved, as nearly as possible, the exact reverse of experience, let him refer to the columns of the *Evening Journal* in the winter of 1848-9.

A Working People.

It is the pride and boast of the great body of American people, that we are an active, enterprising, working people. And the physical changes that labor has wrought in the condition of this land in a century, the clearing off of forests, the building of houses, the fencing of fields, the construction of roads, the entire system of internal improvements, might be cited to prove that the boast is not wholly without grounds to stand on.

Hence, the expression, "the working classes," as frequently used, is one that we have no particular fancy for. It intimates a distinction and conveys an invidious meaning, neither of which is adapted to our condition of society. It is an exotic phrase, borrowed from the demagogic slang of old countries. It may have a proper significance there. Here it has none. And no greater insult could be offered to our people, than to compare the relations of capital and labor in this country, to those which exist in Europe. The condition of this country renders it, in fact, impossible that such relations should exist. And we do not want to foist upon our American labor any of the prejudice and passion that seem to be connected with the expression, the "working classes," in the speech of demagogues abroad or at home.

THOSE who are under the impression that Havana is a city where educational institutions are few and of little account, will be surprised to learn that in some respects they excel those of the United States. The institution for teaching Botany—of which kind we have none—is superior in every respect, and the University of Havana will compare favorably with similar institutions in the United States. It is doubtful if we have anything to compare with the Havana free school for designing and painting, or the free school of mathematics. The professors are from the chief European seats of learning, and the endowments are on the most liberal scale. But in free schools for the masses there is less advancement; and, it should be remarked, that the educational enterprises of Havana are almost entirely under the direction of the Jesuits, and the patronage of the Government.

THE Walnut Street Baptist Church in Louisville is one of the saintly institutions of that city. A short time since a young lady temporarily residing there, but from an excellent Quaker family in Pennsylvania, applied to be admitted to membership and communion at its altar. The pastor, the Rev. George C. Larimer, expressed not only willingness but gratification. The applicant is a Christian lady of culture, refinement and unusual intelligence. Some three years ago she sought and obtained a position as teacher of freedmen, because she conscientiously thought she could be of more service to the Christian cause in that capacity than in any other. The last named item in her history was unknown to the aforesaid pastor. When he found it out, the door of the church was shut in the young lady's face.

THE consolidation scheme of Mr. Seward, like our own, is lying quiet just now. His scheme is not half so important to the cities and buroughs of this vicinity as their own union into one municipality. But people hardly ever think alike at the first statement of a plan or a proposition. No doubt the annexation to the United States will cause warm discussions in the snow houses of the Esquemaux, and blubber will rise in the Kodiak markets when the news reaches them. Our consolidation as one city, although important to all concerned, costs nothing, damages nobody, improves all parts, and forms of them one whole that will be worth being heard of among the great cities of the land.

A COMPARATIVE table of prices on the 1st of May, 1860, and 1st of May, 1867, shows that, notwithstanding the very common complaints of high prices, it appears that the decline which has occurred during the depression which set in last fall, is much more important than is generally supposed. The aggregate prices of the twenty-six articles enumerated was, on May 1, 1860, $71 47 against $117 37 now. This shows an advance, on the average, of about 62 per cent. In order to make the comparison fairly, however, it is necessary to reduce the present currency prices to gold, which, taking the premium at 35, brings down the $117 37 to $86 94. Upon a gold basis, therefore, the advance averages only about 21 per cent.

IT has been telegraphed from Washington that "Commissioner Rollins has information to the effect that there is not now in store enough whisky to last the ordinary demands for thirty days." We hope the Commissioner's information is correct, but fear there is some mistake about it. In view of the fact that he may be right in his figures, we advise all drinkers of "strong potations" to use the fluid sparingly and make it go as far as possible. What would be better would be to cease imbibing altogether, and to keep the whole of it.

THE Sanitary Society organized by the citizens of Chicago is going to work practically to renovate the city, so far as that can be done. Chicago suffered very much last season from cholera. Providentially Pittsburgh escaped—but such a miss a second time we have no right to expect. It is better to act promptly and thoroughly than to wait till the scourge comes.

Death of a Member of Congress.

We learn from the Shawneetown, Illinois, *Mercury*, of the 3d inst., that the Hon. Samuel S. Marshall, Member of Congress from the Eleventh Illinois District, died at his residence in McLeansborough, a few days since. Mr. Marshall had been suffering from a chronic disease for a number of years, and his death was not unexpected.

NEGOTIATIONS have been resumed between the Berlin and Washington Cabinets with a view to enable Germans that have become American citizens, previous to acquitting themselves of the military duties toward the mother country, to return home unmolested by the conscription officers. The proposals of Mr. Wright, the American Minister, who has long labored to secure this benefit to his fellow-citizens, seems to be favorably entertained by this Government. Count Bismarck recently called upon Mr. Wright, who, I regret to say, continues ill, and had a long conference with him.

A LETTER from Springfield, Ohio, to the Cincinnati *Gazette* says: All the land is white with May blossoms, and still there has been no frost. There has not been for years so fine a prospect for fruit in the Miami Valley as now. The air is filled with the fragrance of the cherry, plum and pea, while all the small fruits give abundant promise, and even the peach seems determined to defy Jack Frost and show what it can do.

THE Paris Exhibition is as yet only open for form's sake, and already the Commission has sold the Palace in the Champs de Mars, roofs, walls, pillars, &c., to a Russian company, to take possession of it on the 1st of November, a circumstance which proves that the Exhibition will not be prolonged beyond the month of October. It is said that the company are going to transport the structure to Russia and re-erect it at St. Petersburg.

THE French officers are rabid for war. The Generals who expect command, speak with the utmost contempt of the Prussian army, and say that although it showed itself at Sadowa capable of a rush, it would never stand a campaign of six weeks. The common talk in barracks is that the consummate French Generals will make the Prussians manœuver till they are worn out, and then fall upon and destroy them.

A COLD, WET SUMMER.—French scientific men predict that the summer of 1867 will be cold and wet like that of last year. They base the prediction on the fact that immense masses of ice have broken, or are about to break away from the extreme North, producing cold and vapor. The weather of the past few days would seem to indicate a verification of this singular prediction.

The Gettysburg Asylum Lottery Scheme

Attorney General Brewster has written a letter, in which he exposes an extensive lottery scheme that has been largely advertised in the newspapers of this city and elsewhere. The history of this scheme, as we learn from the Philadelphia *Ledger*, is briefly as follows: An act was passed by the late Legislature, for the alleged purpose of erecting and maintaining an asylum for invalid soldiers at Gettysburg, and to insure the success of the scheme the names of a number of prominent general officers in this State were procured. The act so passed, in addition to its pretended object, was designed, it is said, to legalize an extensive lottery system in this State for an unlimited period of time, under cover of phraseology authorizing the corporation created to hold fairs and acquire property, real and personal, and to dispose of the same at such times, in such places and upon such terms as the corporation should see fit. The military corporators named in the act, and whose names were only used to give respectability to the scheme without a knowledge of the real character of the design on their part, were Major General Meade, and Generals Sickel, Pennypacker and Beaver of this State. The fifth corporator is a young man named Bergen, who appears to be an attache of some sort in the law office of General Collis, of Philadelphia. Certain persons in Philadelphia having commenced the lottery business, under this act, the attention of Attorney General Brewster was drawn to the fact, when he called upon General Sickel for information, which was promptly furnished.

An alleged meeting of the corporators was held at General Collis's office, at which but two corporators were personally present—General Sickel and the Mr. Bergen referred to. Besides these, however, General Collis was present, claiming to represent General Pennypacker. At this meeting the principal business transacted was the election of a number of the leading lottery men of the country as members of the corporation, and the wholesale transfer of all the powers and authorities supposed to have been conferred upon the corporation to a board of supervisors, composed of these very lottery managers. The arrangement thus intended to be effected gave these lottery men the opportunity of collecting from the people the sum of twelve millions of dollars, out of which about three hundred thousand dollars were to be doled out to the ostensible asylum fund, and eleven million seven hundred thousand dollars were to pass into the hands of the lottery supervisors—a very nice thing for them, as the public will easily see.

The Philadelphia *Press*, referring to the letter of Attorney General Brewster, says:

"The question as to what privileges are conferred by the act of incorporation will, we are told, be submitted to the courts, and the ablest counsel in the State will be heard on the subject. This being the case, we are unwilling to take a one-sided view of the matter, which might affect the success of a commendable object, and one which enjoys such extensive popularity—especially as we know the measure was and is still approved by gentlemen of high standing in the community. Let the Courts decide."

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

A dispatch from Springfield Illinois, dated the 5th, says: The mills and factories of this city are all idle. The foundries and machine shops were all running until yesterday morning, when the shops were all closed until further notice. The Trades' Assembly of this city refuse to work over eight hours, but are generally willing to go to work at reduced rates. The carpenters, who have been receiving three dollars per day, propose to work for $2 75. The machinists made no combined offer, but, it is understood, they are willing to work at a reduced rate.

An Omaha dispatch says: Track laying on the Union Pacific Railroad was resumed last week. Two miles of track were laid yesterday. General Casement expects to average two and a half and three miles of track daily during the summer. Four hundred and fifty miles of track material are lying at the depot grounds here, ready for use.

The heirs of the Lafarge estate have decided not to rebuild Winter Garden, New York, on the ruins of the old theater. The entire property connected with the theater rented for only $16,000 a year, and it is said that the entrance alone, fitted up for business purposes, will rent for $10,000 a year.

Mr. J. W. McLaughlin, architect, is now completing designs for Mr. T. B. Handy's new opera house, Cincinnati. It will be situated on the west side of Vine street, near Seventh, where the excavation is now being made. The lot is 80 feet front by 190 feet deep, extending to College street, and will be entirely covered by the building. The opera house will be built of freestone, and have a massive appearance. Two large stores, each 29 feet by 45, in the clear, will extend to an area that will separate them from the main hall.

Many of the wealthy old creoles of Louisiana are returning to France. They are disgusted with the Union sway now existing in the State.

A new and important branch of Southern industry is developing in the swamps of North Carolina and Virginia, from which large quantities of peat are now extracted. In the Dismal Swamp peat can be manufactured at $1 50 per ton, which now costs $8 in New York.

Should a Moslem, when praying, feel himself disposed to gape, he is ordered to suppress the sensation as the work of the devil, and to close his mouth lest the father of iniquity should enter and take possession of his person. It is curious that the opinion prevails also among the Hindoos, who twirl their fingers close before the mouth before gaping, to prevent the evil spirit from getting in that way.

The Dayton, Ohio, *Journal*, of Tuesday, says: It is just two months since old Mr. Brown, the veteran cordwainer, tasted food. We have this on the solemn word of himself and family. During this time he asserts he was fed by the spirits, but their food was so etherial that he rapidly fell away from a robust constitution to almost a skeleton. Yesterday morning, however, the spirits ceased their visits as provisioners, and Mr. Brown, being thus cut off from his "heavenly manna," recovered his appetite. May his shadow increase.

New York, it is said, devours $2,000,000 worth of eggs a year. One hotel in that city consumes a barrel a day. These eggs are gathered from a large extent of country around New York, and many of them are forwarded from this city, one dealer alone forwarding from Philadelphia to New York a hundred barrels daily.

A meeting of the Auditors of the counties of Ohio through which the line of the Atlantic and Great Western passes, was held at Dayton, on Wednesday last, for the purpose of assessing the value of the property in Ohio. The valuation was reduced about $700,000, and now stands as follows: Main track, $2,257,116; side track, $88,080; buildings, &c., $160,700; rolling stock, $681,280; material for repairs, $274,689. Grand total, $4,002,859.

England and Wales have a great many lunatics. On January 1st, 1867, there were 39,896 lunatics confined in asylums and hospitals in those countries, and about 10,000 were in various workhouses and poorhouses.

The increase of the area under cotton cultivation in the Bombay (India) Presidency is about 270,000 acres, representing increased export to the value of $5,000,000.

At Belleville, Ohio, on the 3d instant, a committee of citizens seized a lot of liquors in the freight house consigned to Lewis Hunniwall, stove in the heads of the casks, and allowed the liquors to escape. A determination was expressed to submit to no more liquor-selling in Belleville. The committee is apparently fully sustained by the citizens. Hunniwall had receipted for the liquors, and the loss fell heavily upon him. He has brought suit against the committee for damages.

The death of the old horse Henry Clay, who in his time has been one of the great celebrities, and who was believed to be the oldest living stallion, occurred in Seneca county, New York, April 22. The age of this horse is announced at forty-three years and seven months—certainly a surprising age for a horse to attain.

Things are loose in some parts of Georgia. The other day men were found hanging to trees within a short distance of public roads, and had been hanging there for several days.

An inventive Frenchman has patented a fan which may be used as an offensive weapon by ladies, as the ends are, by a turn of the handle, thrust out and becomes pointed. Jealous female giving the required twist as she hands the fan to her more beautiful rival, "Do, love, try my fan; it is so refreshing."

The St. Paul *Press* of the 2d inst. says that in consequence of a sudden and unlooked-for subsidence of the high waters on the tributaries of the Mississippi, the sanguine expectations recently entertained by the lumber manufacturers of getting out a full supply of logs from the pineries, seem destined to a serious disappointment.

Germany shows the world at the Exhibition as well as the French what's the time of the day. The clock tells the time at twenty-six different points in all parts of the world. It also shows the moon's changes, the hour of noon at any spot on the globe's surface, and the state of the thermometer and barometer.

The Columbus, Ohio, *Journal*, says of Franklin county: Considerable corn has already been planted, and much more planting will be done this week. The wheat is reported as looking remarkably fine, and the hope is entertained by every one that the yield will be very large. The fruit has been damaged very little, if at all, by the late cold weather, and the crop will be large unless we have more unseasonable weather.

The St. Paul *Pioneer* denies the report of destitution in Minnesota. There is a scarcity of seed grain in some quarters but of food in none.

An important discovery has been made in Peru. It is of a silk plant. The shrub is three or four feet in height. The silk is enclosed in a pod, of which each plant gives a great number, and is declared to be superior in fineness and quality to the production of the silk worm. It is a wild perennial, the seed small and easily separated from the fibre. The stems of the plant produce a long and very brilliant fibre, superior in strength and beauty to the finest linen thread. Small quantities have been woven in the rude manner of the Indians, and the texture and brilliancy is said to be unsurpassed.

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PERSONAL.

—A Washington letter says: Eliot has received an order to paint a full-length portrait ($500) of Charles Knap, who made a fortune during the war from contracts for casting heavy ordnance, at the Fort Pitt Foundry, near Pittsburgh, and has located himself here.

—Rev. Mr. Boyd, the well-known "Country Parson," has charge of the largest church in the north of Scotland. He says, "Our parish church is seven hundred and fifty years old, and in our church-yard people have been buried for one thousand seven hundred years."

—A provincial delegation called on Eugenie, and, in allusion to the distress among the peasantry, said it seemed Providence itself had turned against them. "Nay," said the Empress, "be not alarmed; the Emperor is on your side."

—Gortschakoff is held responsible for the following: "Bismarck keeps Napoleon on his legs by boxing his ears first on the right side and then on the left."

—Prince Amadeus, the son of Victor Emanuel, is soon to be married to a daughter of Prince de la Cisterna. The King has sent to the young lady a necklace of pearls and diamonds of the value of more than 100,000f. On the wedding day six young girls are to be married to six workmen of Turin, and the Prince will give in each case a dowry of 1000f.

—Among the wealthy men of Troy, New York, are James Burden, who returns an income for 1866, of $40,366; Henry Burden, $73,553; James A. Burden, $39,436; William F. Burden, $34,925. (The Burdens are one firm—the great iron concern, horse shoes, spikes, &c.) Uri Gilbert, $45,967; J. E. Hannahan, $17,891; G. V. S. Quackenbush, $28,839; E. T. Gale, $47,786; John B. Gale, $27,944; Hannibal Green, $32,253; J. W. Freeman, $29,066; J. H. Warren, $32,689.

—A long time ago, a little boy twelve years old, on his way to Vermont, stopped at a country tavern, and paid for his lodging and breakfast by sawing wood instead of asking it as a gift. Fifty years later the same boy passed the same little inn as George Peabody, the banker.

—It is stated, on good authority, that Wm. Stuart, manager of the late Winter Garden, and John Brougham have joined hands in a theatrical enterprise, in New York, and that they have secured the property on Union square known as the Moffat Mansion—the late Fenian Headquarters—whereon they will build a first-class house.

—The New York *Gazette* says: "There are more than enough Italian opera singers in this city to make up two or three additional opera troupes. These unemployed artists haunt the lobby of the Academy of Music at each performance. Susini the most prominent among them."

—We have from a correspondent at Frankfort, Germany, says the New York *Times*, a sparkling account of the marriage in that city of William Cornell Jewett (better known as Colorado Jewett) to Charlotte Berna, daughter of Anthony Berna, Esq., "one of the wealthiest Americans resident in Frankfort at present." We have not room for the details of this extraordinary event, and must content ourselves with simply announcing it. We may venture to express the hope that this incident will put a stop to the issue of Mr. Jewett's extraordinary political circulars.

—Judge Betts, who has just resigned from the U. S. District Judge bench in New York, was designated for that post by President John Quincy Adams nearly or quite forty years ago. His age can hardly be less than eighty, so his resignation is abundantly justified; but it is said that the extra duties devolved on this judgeship by the new Bankrupt law has more immediately prompted the step. Mr. Blatchford, who succeeds him, was private secretary to Gov. Seward nearly thirty years ago, but has since adhered very closely to his early chosen profession, wherein, though no orator, he has, by industry and assiduity, achieved a respectable standing, more especially in litigations concerning patents.

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A. G. FIELDS, Secretary.
New Orleans, April 19, 1867.

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NOTICES.

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,
Pittsburgh, Pa., May 7, 1867.
☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF SIX PER CENT. on the capital, from the earnings of the last six months, payable on or after the 13th inst. The United States revenue tax will be paid by the Bank.
d* H. M. MURRAY, Cashier.

BANK OF PITTSBURGH, May 7th, 1867.
☞ THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS of this Bank have this day declared A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. on its capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 17th inst., free of taxes.
W. ROSEBURG, Cashier.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
Pittsburgh, Pa., May 7, 1867.
☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. (on the capital stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 14th inst., the Bank assuming the Government tax.
J. E. BRADY, JR., Cashier.

OFFICE EUREKA INSURANCE COMPANY,
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1867.
☞ DIVIDEND.—AT A MEETING of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a Dividend of TWO DOLLARS PER SHARE, upon each share of the Capital Stock subscribed, payable forthwith, and free of State or United States Taxes.
ROBERT FINNEY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH INSURANCE COMPANY,
May 6, 1867.
☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Company have this day declared a Dividend of FOUR DOLLARS PER SHARE, two dollars cash and two dollars to credit of stock, payable forthwith.
WM. B. NEEPER, Secretary.

☞ MINGO COAL COMPANY.—An adjourned meeting of the Stockholders of the Mingo Coal Company, will be held at the IRON ASSOCIATION ROOMS, on WEDNESDAY, May 15, 1867, at 2 o'clock, P. M.
JAMES COLLARD, Secretary.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,
Pittsburgh, May 4th, 1867.
☞ THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of SIX PER CENT., free of Government tax, payable on and after the 19th inst.
GEORGE A. ENDLY, Cashier.

☞ MONONGAHELA VALLEY RAILROAD.—There will be a meeting of the corporators of the Monongahela Valley Railroad at the MONONGAHELA HOUSE, on THURSDAY, the 9th of May, for the purpose of taking such action as may be deemed expedient in relation to the charter lately granted by the Pennsylvania Legislature.

☞ JAMES P. HANNA THIS DAY retires from the firm of Ira B. McVay & Co., and JAMES C. McVAY and W. W. BURCHFIELD are admitted; style of firm same as heretofore.
IRA B. McVAY & CO.
Pittsburgh, May 1, 1867. tf

PITTSBURGH, May 1, 1867.
☞ THE DIRECTORS OF THE RALSTON OIL CO., have this day declared A DIVIDEND OF 3 PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company, payable forthwith, at their Office, No. 251 Liberty street.
WILLIAM H. KIRKPATRICK,
Treasurer.

SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
Pittsburgh, 1st May, 1867.
☞ THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Bank have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders or their legal representatives, free of Government tax, on and after the 10th inst.
ROBT. J. STONEY, Cashier.

☞ ELECTION NOTICE—THE Stockholders of the Birmingham Gas Company are hereby notified that the annual meeting for the election of Directors will be held on MONDAY AFTERNOON, May 6th, at the office of the Company, in Birmingham.
D. ROBINSON,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE A. V. R. R. COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, January 1, 1867.
☞ NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will redeem the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the Company within two years from this date, in accordance with the provisions of the mortgage given to secure the payment of the said bonds. By order of the Board of Managers.
WILLIAM PHILLIPS, President.

POLITICAL.

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
COL. JAMES A. GRAY,
Of M'Clure Township, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
WILLIAM McCLEAN,
Of Pitt Township, formerly of North Fayette, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

☞ FOR PROTHONOTARY.
JACOB H. WALTER,
Will be a candidate for the Office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention.

☞ FOR PROTHONOTARY.
D. C. HULTZ
Will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
MAJ. J. F. DENNISTON,
Late Brevet Major and C. S. U. S. Vols., will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, Pa., we, David Rinehart and J. A. Hartin, administrators of T. M. Hartin, late of said county, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1867,

On the premises, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all that certain

Tract of Land,

Situate in Collins township, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning on the northwest side of the Allegheny Valley Railroad at the point where the line of lands of Hon. W. M'Candless comes to said Railroad; thence by said line of M'Candless' land north 40½ deg., west 546 5-100 feet to the Allegheny river at low water mark; thence down said river by the courses thereof south 50 deg. 9 min., west 384 46-100 feet to the line of land now or late of Dr. Peter Mowry, deceased; thence by said land south 46 deg., east 558½ feet to the Allegheny Valley Railroad aforesaid; and thence by the line of said Railroad northeastwardly 332 52-100 feet to the beginning; containing 4 Acres, 65 23-100 Perches, strict measure.

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Slate Quarry and Lands,
AT AUCTION, ON
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C. WEST & CO.,
CARRIAGE MANUFACTURERS, have removed to their New Factory,
Nos. 75, 77 and 79 LIBERTY STREET,
Foot of Fourth.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—THE undersigned have this day associated themselves together, under the name of
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For the sale of Hardware and Pittsburgh Manufactured Goods on Commission. Consignments solicited.
J. C. LINDSAY,
G. B. STERRIT,
J. R. LINDSAY.
Pittsburgh, May 1, 1867.

DISSOLUTION.
The partnership heretofore existing under the name of RICKETSON & CO., was dissolved on the 26th day of September, 1866, by the death of C. W. Ricketson.
Persons having claims against the late firm will present them at the office of the Fort Pitt Foundry.
Pittsburgh, May 2, 1867.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP—The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of FOERSTER & SCHWARZ, was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of February, 1867, the entire interest of C. F. Schwarz having been purchased by Edward Foerster, who will continue the Wall Paper and Fancy Goods business at the same stand, No. 164 Smithfield street. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said Edward Foerster, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.
EDWARD FOERSTER,
C. F. SCHWARZ.

HAVING SOLD MY ENTIRE INTEREST in the Wall Paper and Fancy Goods business to EDWARD FOERSTER, who will continue the business at the old stand, I would cheerfully recommend him to our former patrons and the public generally. C. F. SCHWARZ.

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PROPOSALS.

NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLY OF MARINE HOSPITAL, PITTSBURGH, PA.

DISTRICT OF NEW ORLEANS,
PORT OF PITTSBURGH,
April 15th, 1867.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals, accompanied by proper guarantees, according to forms to be furnished on application at this office, will be received thereat until 12 o'clock meridian, on the FIRST TUESDAY OF JUNE NEXT, for the supply of the Marine Hospital, at Pittsburgh, with the articles of Provisions, Medicine, &c., enumerated in said forms, for one year from July 1, 1867. The quantities stated are estimated with reference to the usual number of patients in the Hospital, but the United States reserves the right to take more or less of said articles, accordingly as they may be actually required. If the articles delivered at the Hospital are not, in the judgment of the physician, of the best quality and adapted to the Hospital, he will be at liberty to reject the same, to purchase other articles in their stead, and to charge the contractor with any excess in cost over the contract price.
The United States reserves the right to accept the proposals for the whole or any portion of the articles specified.
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Proposals will be received by the undersigned until APRIL 20th, for furnishing SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY (750) TONS, Four to six inch Neutral (or very slightly Red Short)
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At the rate of 258 tons per month, commencing May 1st. Proposals must state the price, delivered in Pittsburgh, and may be for the whole or a part of the above quantity.
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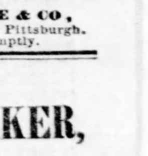
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Hydrophobia.

The accounts published recently of several cases of hydrophobia in various parts of the country remind us of a number of popular errors respecting this terrible disease, which it may be worth while to try to correct. In the first place the very name of the malady, so far at least as it refers to dogs, is not merely entirely inappropriate, but is the cause of a very dangerous misapprehension. The word means fear of water, and it is commonly supposed that a dread of water is the great distinguishing symptom of canine madness, and that a dog who will drink must be safe. Nothing can be further from the truth. The indefinable and terrible dread of water which characterizes the later stages of hydrophobia in man, is not noticed in the dog one case out of fifty; on the contrary, one of the principal symptoms is a *burning and unquenchable thirst.* Why there should be such a remarkable difference between the manifestations of the disease in man and the brute, no one knows; but it is important that the difference should be borne in mind.

Another great mistake is in attributing hydrophobia to the heat of the "dog days," and I dare say there are many people who suppose that the warm Summer months receive that popular name because it is in them that dogs run mad. But in point of fact, July and August are just the period when hydrophobia is *least common;* and whatever may be the cause of the malady, nothing is more certain than that heat is not the cause. In the burning regions of equatorial Africa, where all the villages are over run with dogs, Mr. Du Chaillu remarks that hydrophobia is unknown even by report. It is unknown in Cyprus and Egypt; it used to be unknown in Jamaica; and it has never been seen in the Island of Madeira, where curs of every description abound, tormented by diseases, insects, thirst and famine. The cruel experiment has even been tried of chaining dogs to a wall under a burning sun until they died of thirst, but they showed no symptoms of rabies. Careful records of canine madness are kept at the veterinary schools of Alfort, Lyons and Toulouse, in France, and from these it appears that the majority of cases occur not in the hottest but in the *coldest* months. There are twice and three times as many in April, November and December, as in June, July and August. Probably no accurate register has ever been kept in this country, but we make no doubt that the disease is more prevalent in the spring months than at any other time of the year.

Bearing this in mind our readers can appreciate the folly and brutality of our dog-law, which condemns to indiscriminate slaughter every dog found running loose during the very period, when, if there is any truth in statistics, running loose is attended with *least* danger. I dare say that very few of the animals which are killed in the streets under the supposition that they are mad, really have hydrophobia the popular idea of what constitutes a mad dog being far from accurate. The symptoms, however, are unmistakable to an experienced eye. The dog actually begins by being sullen and restless. He betrays extraordinary anxiety about trivial or imaginary objects. He is subject to strange hallucinations, sometimes of a pleasant, but oftener of a fearful nature. His appetite is depraved; he refuses to take his usual food, and is eager for everything that is filthy and horrible. He limbs fail him; he has a sudden and violent itching of the ear; he paws the corners of his mouth; he seems insensible to pain, so much that a mad dog has been known to seize and bite with his mouth a red-hot poker, and another to gnaw his tail off close to the base. His voice changes in a very remarkable manner. There is a foaming at the mouth, but it is always less than is observed in epilepsy and disease, and never lasts long. The stories of mad dogs covered with foam are fabulous. In ... recovering from or attacked by a fit are sometimes seen in this state; but fits have no relation whatever to madness. Then we have the violent thirst which we have already mentioned. Unless the animal is naturally ferocious, he shows no disposition to bite until he reaches the last and most violent stage of the disease, and indeed not always then. On the contrary his affection for his master seems to be increased, and he is constantly attempting to lick the hands and face of the persons he loves. This is a propensity which must be carefully guarded against. It is not the bite of the mad dog that is poisonous, but his saliva, which may be introduced into the system through the mucous membrane of the lips, or any little abrasion of the skin, as well as through a wound made by the animal's teeth.

In man, a dread of water is an invariable symptom. The terror increases with the attempt to swallow, and sometimes the mere sound of liquid falling in a vessel, or the sight, or even the mention of it will produce the same effect. A draught of cold air, or the sight of a mirror has also been known to produce a paroxysm. And it is quite certain that these distressing symptoms are not the result of imagination, for they have been noticed in young children and idiots who could never have heard of hydrophobia, nor, of course, have had preconceived notions about it. At the same time there is a violent thirst. The patient is annoyed by the secretion of a thick viscid saliva, and tries to free himself from it by blowing and spitting. There is a painful stiffness in the back of the neck; the breathing is hurried; delirium or mania often, but not always, comes on, and death ensues commonly on the second or third day. There is no authenticated case of cure on record. Death alone puts an end to the suffering.

The newspapers recently have given elaborate accounts of a supposed case of hydrophobia in Hamilton county, Indiana, in which the patient, a young woman, is said to have been killed by bromide of potassium. But from the published reports it is by no means clear that the disease was hydrophobia at all. The young woman had been bitten by a mad dog about six months before. The attack began by a repugnance to water, but there were no very severe symptoms until the third day, when she suddenly began grinding her teeth, and then fell on the floor, foaming at the mouth, gnashing her jaws, and horribly convulsed. She bit furiously at every one who came near her. A second spasm came on soon afterward, during which she is described as "snapping, snarling and yelping," like a cur dog. She bit her lips terribly, and bit pieces out of the bed-clothes. The paroxysms lasted five or six days, after which the disease yielded to treatment, and in ten days or a fortnight the patient was pronounced convalescent.

Now these symptoms are much more like hysteria than madness. The foaming at the mouth, the fits, the self-laceration are not characteristic of hydrophobia, but they are exactly what often happens in hysteria. That disease, moreover, is known to imitate hydrophobia sometimes so closely as to deceive the most wary physician. The barking and snarling like a cur must have been the effect of imagination either in the patient or the observer who records the case. Such barking does not occur in madness from the bite of a dog, though it is popularly supposed that it does, the error originating probably from the spasmodic efforts which the sufferer makes to clear his throat of saliva. It is quite conceivable that a hysteric woman, knowing that she had been bitten, might have fancied that she had the disease, and produced unintentionally the barking, the dread of water, and the other symptoms which are supposed to be characteristic of it. Until a more accurate history of the case is made public, we shall be slow, therefore, to believe that it was hydrophobia, or consequently that any cure for that horrible infection has yet been discovered. The only safety is in the excision or burning of the bitten part.

Death surely follows when the disease has declared itself, it is comforting to know that even if you are bitten the chance of infection is slight. The virus may not have penetrated the wound, or your organism may not be susceptible to it. Dr. Hamilton estimates the chances of escape as high as 25 to 1; John Hunter as 21 to 1; Mr. Youatt as 4 to 1. The chance of a dog's taking the infection from another is about as one to three.—*Tribune.*

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4.20 A. M., ACCOMMODATION from Jamestown, arrives at A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 5:00 A. M., at New Castle at 7:00 A. M., and Pittsburgh at 10:00 A. M.

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6.00 A. M. ERIE EXPRESS, leaves New Castle at 8:45 A. M., A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer, at 10:20 A. M., and arrives at Erie at 1:30 P. M., making close connection for Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

3.30 P. M. ACCOMMODATION leaves New Castle at 6:40 P. M., A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 8:30 P. M., and arrives at Jamestown at 9:15 P. M.

Accommodation leaves Sharon at 4:00 P. M., arrives at Erie at 11:35 P. M.

Way passengers will be carried on freight trains 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Trains connect as follows with the Atlantic & Great Western Railroad at Transfer:

Pittsburgh Express South connects with Mail West for all points at 2:05 P. M. Erie Express North, connects with Mail East, for Meadville, Franklin and the Oil Regions at 10:20 A. M. Pittsburgh Accommodation South, connects with Accommodation West, for Warren, Cleveland and Ravenna, Ohio. Franklin Express North, makes close connection both East and West.

Trains connect at Rochester with trains for Wheeling and all points in West Virginia, and with Pittsburgh connections for Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Baltimore and Washington, via. Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

Erie Express North, connects at Girard with Cleveland and Erie trains Westward for Cleveland, Chicago, and all points in the West; at Erie with Philadelphia & Erie Railroad for Corry, Warren, Irvington, Tidioute, &c., and with Buffalo & Erie Railroad for Buffalo, Dunkirk, Niagara Falls and New York City.

J. J. LAWRENCE,
Superintendent.

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PAN HANDLE ROUTE.

Trains leave and arrive at Union Depot, as follows:

CHANGE OF TIME. On and after Sunday, April 28th:

	Depart.	Arrive.
Fast Line	9:45 a m	10:05 p m
Walkers Accom	11:00 a m	3:45 p m
Express	2:20 p m	10:50 a m
Mail	2:05 a m	9:45 p m
Mixed	6:10 a m	6:55 p m
Steubenville Accom'n	3:25 p m	10:05 a m
McDonald's Accom'n	5:05 p m	8:20 a m

The 9:45 A. M. Train arrives in Cincinnati at 10 P. M. same evening, 7½ hours in advance of other lines.

No change of cars between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati, and but ONE change to St. Louis, Cairo, and the principal points West and Southwest.

When purchasing Tickets be sure and find the Office of the Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad, UNION DEPOT (South Side.)

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CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Trains arrive and leave at the Union Depot, as follows.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Chicago Exp	2:00 a m	Chicago Ex	2:30 a m
Cleveland Ex	2:00 a m	Cleveland Ex	2:30 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	6:00 a m	Chicago Ex	10:45 a m
Cl. & Whg M'l	6:15 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:25 a m
Chicago Mail	6:45 a m	Chicago Ex	3:40 p m
Chicago Ex	9:30 a m	Cl. & Whg. Ex	3:50 p m
Cl. & Whg. Ex	2:00 p m	Erie & Ygn. Ex	6:45 p m
Chicago Ex	2:15 p m	Chicago Ex	9:50 p m
Wheeling Ex	4:35 p m	Cl. & Whg. Ex	9:30 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
N. Br't'n Acc	8:45 a m	N. Brt'Acc	6:50 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	10:00 a m	N. Brt'n Acc	8:35 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	11:40 a m	Wellsville Ac	9:10 a m
Rochester Ac	1:20 p m	N. Castle Acc	10:00 a m
Wells'& N C Ac	3:30 p m	Leetsdale Acc.	11:05 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	4:50 p m	Leetsdale Acc	1:05 p m
N. Brt'n Acc.	5:20 p m	N. Brt'n Acc	2:30 p m
N. Brt'n Acc.	6:15 p m	Leetsdale Acc	4:10 p m
Leetsdale Acc.	10:30 p m	Leetsdale Acc	7:00 p m

10:45 A. M., Chicago Express arrives daily.

2:15 P. M. Chicago Express leaves daily.

F. R. MYERS, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.—On and after April 28th, 1867, trains arrive at and depart from the Union Depot, corner of Washington and Liberty streets, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart.	
Mail Train	1:20 a m	Day Express	3:00 a m
Fast Line	1:50 a m	Wall's No. 1	6:30 a m
Wall's No. 1	6:20 a m	Mail Train	8:50 a m
Brinton No. 2	7:50 a m	Wall's No. 2	9:50 a m
Wall's No. 2	8:50 a m	Cincinnati Ex	11:15 a m
Cincinnati Exp	9:29 a m	Wall's No. 3	11:30 a m
Johnstown ac	10:10 a m	Johnstown Ac	3:00 p m
Phila. Express	1:50 p m	Wall's No. 4	3:30 p m
Wall's No. 3	1:30 p m	Phil. Express	4:10 p m
Wall's No. 4	2:50 p m	Wall's No. 5	4:50 p m
Wall's No. 5	5:59 p m	Wall's No. 6	6:05 p m
Wall's No. 6	7:00 p m	Fast Line	8:30 p m
Altoona Ac. and Emig't train	10:35 p m	Wall's No. 7	10:50 p m

Cincinnati Express leaves daily. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Philadelphia Express and the Altoona Accommodation and Emigrant Train arrive daily. Cincinnati Express arrives daily except Monday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:15 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning leave Pittsburgh at 12:50 a. m. and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:00 p. m.

NOTICE.—In case of loss, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only and for an amount not exceeding $100.

W. H. BECKWITH, Agent.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA R. R.—On and after APRIL 28th, 1867, the Passenger trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart.	
Springdale No. 1	6:50 a m	Mail	6:50 a m
Freeport No 1	8:25 a m	Sharpsbg No 1	7:50 a m
Sharpsbg No 1	9:20 a m	Freeport No 1	8:50 a m
Express	10:50 a m	Sharpsbg No 2	11:20 a m
Sharpsbg No 2	1:20 p m	Express	2:05 p m
Freeport No 2	3:40 p m	Springdale No 1	3:05 p m
Mail	4:25 p m	Sharpsbg No 3	4:10 p m
Sharpsbg No 3	5:35 p m	Freeport No 2	4:50 p m
Springdale No 2	7:05 p m	Springdale No 2	7:30 p m

Above trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7:40 a. m., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 a. m. Returning leaves Allegheny City at 1:20 p. m., and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 3:40 p. m.

Commutation Tickets for sale in packages of twenty-five, between Allegheny City, Chestnut street, Herr's, Bennett, Pine Creek, Etna and Sharpsburg, and good only on the trains stopping at Stations specified on tickets.

Through tickets to Butler and Hannahstown, may be purchased at Walker's Stage Office, No. 3 ST. CLAIR STREET, near Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, and at the Depot, Allegheny City.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will not assume any risk for baggage, except for wearing apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All Baggage exceeding this amount in value, will be at the risk of the owner, unless taken by special contract.

For further information apply at Depot to

JAMES LEFFERTS, Agent,
Federal Street Depot.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Change of Time.

On and after WEDNESDAY, April 17, 1867, Passenger trains will leave and arrive at Pittsburgh Depot, corner Pike and Canal streets, as follows:

	Leave Pitts'gh.	Arrive.
First Kiskiminetas	6:30 a m	11:50 a m
Mail (to & from Mahoning)	7:20 a m	7:30 p m
First Soda Works Accom	9:40 a m	8:00 a m
Second Kiskiminetas Ac	12:30 p m	6:30 p m
Express	3:15 p m	10:45 a m
Second Soda Works Ac	5:30 p m	2:25 p m
Sunday Church Train from and to Soda Works	1:00 p m	2:30 a m

Express, North, makes close connection at Mahoning, with Packets for Franklin and Oil City.

Mail, South, connects with Packets from Franklin and Oil City.

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SPRING ARRANGEMENT.

On and after THURSDAY, March 15th, 1866, the trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:

	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives Pittsburgh.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 a m	6:00 p m
Express " "	3:00 p m	10:00 a m
West Newton Accom	6:15 p m	8:30 a m
First McKeesport Accom	11:00 a m	6:50 a m
Second " "	10:00 p m	2:05 p m
Braddock's "	4:10 p m	5:45 p m
Sunday Church train to and from West Newton	1:00 p m	10:00 a m

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CITY MATTERS.

WILL NOT COMPETE.—The Duquesne Steam Fire Engine Company will not compete for the hose carriage at the Monumental Fair, and desire the public to know that no person is authorized to collect funds on their account.

A LUMBER STRIKE.—About five o'clock yesterday afternoon, two rafts of lumber struck a pier of the railroad bridge across the Allegheny river, and broke into five or more sections. The fragments of the rafts were nearly all saved.

EARLY CLOSING.—A majority of the proprietors of the grocery stores in Allegheny have agreed to close their establishments at seven o'clock in the evening, for the spring and summer months, in order to afford their employees time for recreation.

SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME.—At the annual meeting of the contributors to the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, held on Monday, the following gentlemen were elected as officers of the institution for the ensuing year: President—Charles Knap; Vice President—James P. Barr; Treasurer—George W. Cass; Secretary—R. J. Grace.

TARENTUM CAMP GROUND.—A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Camp Meeting Grounds at Tarentum, will be held in the Smithfield Street M. E. Church this afternoon at two o'clock, to take action in regard to holding a camp meeting during the present year, and also to make arrangements to have the camp ground put in thorough repair.

CHANGED HIS BASE.—R. B. Williams, Esq., who has been a resident of this city for some time past as the agent of the Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division, attending to the receipt and shipment of railway supplies, has removed his headquarters to Cincinnati, where he will continue to attend to the interests of the Pacific Company. Mr. Williams is an attentive official and courteous gentleman.

SEVERE ACCIDENT.—While the Indian Herb Doctor was out horseback riding on the Perrysville road on Sunday evening, about two miles from the city, his horse became frightened and threw him off, breaking his collar-bone and also his left arm, and severely injuring him on the left side. The Doctor is rapidly recovering, however, and attends to business during a portion of the day.

THE REVIVAL.—Six more were baptized last Sunday at the Baptist Church in Sharpsburg, by the Evangelist, George Balcom. In the absence of the pastor. One of those baptized, a correspondent says, "was a wealthy Presbyterian, who confessed before the multitude that he believed Jesus Christ was immersed in Jordan, and he wanted to be planted with him." The meetings will continue until Sunday next.

ATTACK ON A STREET CAR.—Two young men named Denny and Kensey were arrested yesterday afternoon by the Allegheny police, charged with malicious mischief. The accused, it appears, entered one of the cars on the Manchester Passenger Railway, and refusing to pay their fare, they were ejected. They commenced an attack on the car, throwing brickbats through the windows and assaulting the conductor. They were locked up for a hearing.

ARREST OF COUNTERFEITERS.—The police of Pithole have had suspicions for some time of several parties being engaged in passing counterfeit money, and on Wednesday last the United States detectives were sent for, who proceeded thither and arrested one James Kernehan residing in Pithole, and C. H. Johnson was arrested at Franklin while attending Court. The houses of both parties were searched and evidence enough was found to implicate them. In the case of Kernehan, a hearing was had at Franklin, before U. S. Commissioner Isaac Meyers, and he was committed to jail in default of $5,000 bail to answer at the next term of the United States Court, at Erie. Johnson was to have had a hearing yesterday. Other parties are suspected of being concerned in the business. It is thought that they belong to an extensive gang of counterfeiters, which it is hoped may soon be broken up.

INTERNATIONAL MATCH GAME AT QUOITS.—Robert Walkinshaw, of Scotland, has challenged William Hodgson, of Pittsburgh, the champion quoit player of America, or any other man in America, to a match game of quoits, for the Championship of the World. The terms of the match to be for two hundred pounds sterling (one thousand dollars) a side, and the game one hundred and twenty-one shots up, distance twenty-one yards. Walkinshaw will allow Hodgson fifty pounds sterling in gold and one-third of the gate money after deducting expenses, to play at Glasgow, Scotland, or he will accept these terms and play in New York city. Walkinshaw says that if he has to visit America, he would come here about September next. The American champion has not yet made a reply, but that he will accept the challenge of the Scotchman there seems hardly to be a doubt.

PITTSBURGHER KILLED BY INDIANS.—A correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, writing from Fort Reno, Decotah territory, under date of March 28th, gives an account of the death of Samuel McClure, a Pittsburgher, and Sergeant of Co. I. Twenty-Seventh U. S. Infantry, who was captured and butchered by the Indians. It appears that a party of eight or nine men went out in pursuit of a herd of buffaloes, for the purpose of obtaining fresh meat. They succeeded in killing three buffaloes, but having pursued the herd some miles from the Fort, they suddenly encountered a party of fifty Indians, and were attacked. Three of the soldiers were captured, Sergeant McClure being among the number, and the others succeeded in reaching the Fort. The body of McClure was subsequently recovered. He had been shot through the wrist, his entrails taken out, his head unscalped, almost severed from its body, his eyes taken out, and his body terribly gashed.

The Seventh Ward Mission School.

The fair and festival for the benefit of the Seventh Ward Mission Sunday School is now open at Wilkins Hall from one o'clock P. M., to 10 o'clock P. M. Supper will be served from 5 to 10 P. M. The Seventh Ward Sunday School Association have issued a circular, in which they state that they find that the Ward School Building in which their School has been held for many years, is about to be sold, and they now wish to purchase it and improve it for Sunday School use, and thus lay the foundation for establishing a Church. The School numbers one hundred and thirty to one hundred and eighty, and can be very largely increased with proper facilities and conveniences. The cost of the building is to be $5,000, and the improvement will cost $1,500. The present accommodations are utterly inadequate to the requirements of the School. The children are crowded together so much that the efficiency of the work is seriously interfered with. But with the proposed improvement a very large attendance can be attracted. The cause of the Church and the advancement by contributions to this object, and persons who feel an interest in doing good, are invited to visit the School and witness the interest manifested by the children in attendance. Contributions can be made to D. Robinson, of Robinson, McLean & Co.; Theo. Wood, of James Wood, Son & Co.; Jas. Dickson, of M'Elroy, Dickson & Co.; John Arthurs, with Park, Brother & Co.

Wool Growers' Association—Grand Sheep Shearing Festival on the 23d Inst.

At the regular meeting of the Wool Growers' Association of Upper St. Clair, Snowden and adjoining townships, held on Saturday, May 4th, Archibald McMurray, President, and John Gilfillan, Corresponding Secretary, it was resolved to hold their annual sheep shearing festival on Thursday, May 23d, at the house of Wm. F. Fife, on the old Washington Road, nine miles from Pittsburgh. The following are the premiums adopted:

Class A—Bucks over one year old. First premium, $5 00; second, $3 00; third, $1 00.

Class B—Bucks over one year old. First premium, $5 00; second, $3 00; third, $1 00.

Class C—Ewes over one year old. First premium, $5 00; second, $3 00; third, $1 00.

Class D—Ewes over one year old—First Premium, $5 00; second, $3 00; third, $1 00.

On entering sheep in each of the above classes, to compete for premium, the sum of one dollar will be required to be paid into the treasury.

The premiums on shearing will be as follows: First premium, $5 00; second, $3 00; third, $2 00; fourth, $2 00. Shearers will be required to shear one sheep in each class, and pay into the treasury the sum of one dollar.

The above premiums will be awarded on the day of shearing on the merits of the wool as shorn from the sheep.

Those desiring to compete for J. T. F. Wright's very liberal premiums, will submit to his conditions as published in the May number of the *National Agriculturist*.

The shearing will commence at eleven o'clock A. M. All sheep to be unwashed.

All wool-growers are cordially invited to unite with the Association.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

[Before Mayor Morrison, of Allegheny.]

TAKEN TO THE REFUGE.

A boy named Robert H. Scott, aged about twelve years, was arrested yesterday by the Allegheny police on a charge of petty larceny. He was conveyed to the House of Refuge by officer Nixon, on a commitment issued by Mayor Morrison.

FELONIOUS ASSAULT.

John Scully appeared and lodged an information against one Michael Stringle for assault and battery and felonious assault. He alleges that while passing through the Second ward, Allegheny, on Monday night, he was attacked by the defendant, who made several attempts to strike him with a knife, and failing in this picked up a large stone and threw it at deponent, striking him on the side, and injuring him quite severely. A warrant for the arrest of the accused was placed in an officer's hands.

A FEROCIOUS DOG.

James McLaughlin was charged, on complaint of James Hastings, with keeping a ferocious dog. Mr. Hastings, in his information, alleges that his daughter, while walking along the street, was set upon by a dog, belonging to the defendant, which bit her quite severely on several parts of the body. The accused has not yet been arrested.

ALLEGED OUTRAGEOUS ASSAULT.

An information for aggravated assault and battery was lodged against one John Drew, by Howard Butler. The allegations of the prosecutor are, that while standing in the fish market, in this city, on Saturday evening last, he was assaulted by Drew, who, without any cause whatever, attacked him, caught him by the throat, knocked him down, and then kicked him on the breast. Deponent then jumped up, ran away, and was followed by the defendant, who struck him several times, and tore his coat almost entirely off him. A warrant was issued for Drew's arrest.

[Before Alderman Taylor.]

THREE CHARGES.

Samuel Stewart appeared yesterday and made three informations against one Thomas McCaffrey—two for larceny, and one for surety of the peace. The parties reside at Legan's Eddy, on the Allegheny river, and the prosecutor alleges that a few days ago he stole a lot of boards off a raft, the property of R. J. Nicholson, which was left in his (Stewart's) care, and also that on Monday last he stole some more boards off the same raft. The defendant is also accused of having threatened to cut the raft loose. Warrants for his arrest were issued.

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF.

John Stewart was charged with malicious mischief, on the oath of Adam Seltzer. The deponent alleges that Stewart broke down a door in a dwelling house in the Fifth ward, owned by Lawrence Selzer. A warrant for the defendant's arrest was placed in an officer's hand.

[Before Alderman Strain.]

FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.

A. M. Carson appeared at the office of this magistrate yesterday, and instituted suit against Charles Zuber for obtaining goods under false pretences. The parties are both residents of Manchester, the prosecutor keeping a feed store. The deponent alleges that Zuber obtained from him, at various times, oats, hay, corn and feed to the amount of one hundred and forty dollars, by representing that he had a large sum of money coming to him from the firm of Swan & Monaghan, and also from Fred. Altaviter, of Allegheny city, and that he would pay the bill shortly, which representations were false, and the bill yet remains unpaid. A warrant was issued, but the accused has not yet been arrested.

[Before Alderman McMasters.]

LARCENY AS BAILEE.

Patrick McGrady appeared yesterday and lodged complaint against one Thomas McCluff, for larceny as bailee. The prosecutor alleges that after he returned from the army, he went to the Soldiers' Home, leaving his household goods in the possession of McCluff, until he would get well. When he returned to claim his goods, McCluff refused to deliver them to him, and committed a violent assault on him. A warrant was issued.

[Before Justice Mitchel, of Lawrenceville.]

CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.

Joseph Keyser was arrested yesterday and taken before the above magistrate, on two charges, one for carrying concealed weapons, and the other for surety of the peace, the information being made by John Cook. In default of bail in each case, Keyser was committed to jail for trial.

[Before Justice Jancey, of Lawrenceville.]

THE STREIB BURGLARY AGAIN.

A man named William Williams was arrested yesterday by Constable J. L. Irwin, charged with being connected with the burglary in Lawrenceville. The bakery in Lawrenceville, on the morning of the 1st inst. Suspicion had rested upon the occupants of a boarding house in Hatfield, and officer Irwin, with a search warrant in hand, visited the house yesterday morning. The search revealed a clock, a pair of shoes and a tea pot, all stolen from the premises of Streib on the morning of the burglary. It appeared that Williams, who boards at the house, brought the articles in on the morning in question, and sold them to the landlady, saying he had found them in the street. He was committed to jail by Justice Jancey for a hearing on Friday afternoon next.

BASE BALL MATCH.—A match game of base ball will be played on Saturday afternoon between the champion Enterprise and Olympic Clubs, of Allegheny.

Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company—Annual Meeting—Directors Elected.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company of the United States, was held at the Board of Trade Rooms, this city, yesterday, May 7th. The meeting came to order with C. Arbuthnot, Esq., in the Chair. George H. Thurston, Esq., President of the corporation, then read a lengthy report, entering into an exhaustive history of the whole transactions of the Board of Directors, which was, on motion, accepted and adopted, and ordered on file among the papers of the corporation. A report of the Treasurer was then read and accepted.

An election for officers for the ensuing year was then held, which resulted in the unanimous election of the following board of officers, a large amount of stock being voted, after which the meeting adjourned:

President—George H. Thurston, of Pittsburgh.

Director—James L. Shaw, of Pittsburgh; A. J. Baldwin, Philadelphia; E. Middleton, Philadelphia; Wm. Varnum, of Pittsburgh; Robert J. Anderson, of Pittsburgh; Edward Jay Allen, of Pittsburgh.

Allegheny Temperance League.

Last evening a regular meeting of Allegheny Temperance League was held at the First Presbyterian Church, in Allegheny City. There was a good deal of interest manifested in the exercises, for the temperance spirit was thoroughly abroad in every heart. The meeting was held in the basement of the church. The audience was largely made up of young people, which fact may be taken as a fair "sign of the times." The temperance organizations in this county are doing a great work among the young men. Already large numbers of them have been induced to sign the pledge, and they are standing shoulder to shoulder with the veterans in urging forward the Temperance Reform.

David Blair, Esq., was called to the Chair, and R. A. Cameron, Esq., elected Secretary. After the other usual introductory exercises, the Rev. Elliott E. Swift, was introduced. He spoke at considerable length on the merits of this Reform movement, and submitted some practical reasons why it deserves the highest success. The Temperance Choir of Pittsburgh Division, No. 42, was present, and under the direction of John D. Bailey, Esq., discoursed a Temperance ode. Messrs. Thomas T. Everett, of Pittsburgh, R. A. Cameron, of Allegheny, L. H. Eaton, of Allegheny, and John D. Bailey, of Pittsburgh, addressed the meeting. At the close of each one of these gentlemen's remarks, the Choir favored the meeting with a beautiful Temperance song.

The Rev. A. K. Bell, D. D., Dr. Campbell, Jr., W. G. Warren, and R. A. Cameron were appointed a special committee to report at the next regular meeting, on making the League auxiliary to the Allegheny Temperance Convention, which is auxiliary to the Pennsylvania State Temperance Union. The next regular meeting is to be held in the Rev. Dr. John T. Pressly's (United Presbyterian) church in Allegheny city, on Tuesday evening, May 21st, at seven and a half o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Hodge and other well-known Temperance men will positively be present and make addresses. Due notice will appear of the annual meeting.

THE COURTS.

Calendar for This Day.

DISTRICT COURT.

No. 115. Hannah J. Lyle vs. Jeremiah Wilson.
No. 127. W. T. McClurg, for use, vs. James F. Duncan.
No. 128. Hugh McShane vs. B. McLain & Co.
No. 130. Foster & Co. vs. Pittsburgh Coal Co.
No. 136. Jas. Gordon vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Co.
No. 31. Jas. Gilleland vs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company.
No. 32. Robt. McClinton vs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company.
No. 40. Joseph Fleming vs. H. Darlington & Co.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

No. 25. Samuel Stevenson vs. Alfred McCabe.
No. 27. Frederick Ringley vs. Patterson Ague *et al.*
No. 28. Martin Farrell vs. Ezekiel Merriman.
No. 29. John Lake vs. Patterson and John Ague.
No. 30. D. B. Wallis vs. John H. Little.
No. 31. Thomas B. Byrie vs. A. D. H. Chambers.
No. 32. J. B. Miller vs. West Penna. R. R. Co.
No. 33. Michael Bernhard vs. Joseph Linder.
No. 34. John Douglass vs. Jenkins, Mish & Co.
No. 36. John P. Vance vs. James O'Neal & Co.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Williams.

The case of Susannah Mehan vs. William French, previously reported, was concluded yesterday morning, and the jury rendered a verdict for plaintiff for nominal damages, with costs.

Caleb Masher, jr., vs. Charles W Robach. Action to recover $2,730 91. Verdict for defendant.

Richard E. McQuiston, Samuel McClurkan, John F. Herron and Allen Kirkpatrick, partners under the firm name of R. R. McQuiston & Co., vs. The Monongahela Navigation Company. This is an action to recover $6,000 damages for the sinking of a coal boat, containing 30,000 bushels of coal, which struck an obstruction in the Monongahela river, near Lock No. 1, January, 1864. On trial.

COMMON PLEAS.—Before Judge Williams.

Pryor, Miller & Co. vs. Beckham & Long. Plaintiffs took a non-suit.

Casper Negley vs. Collins Township. Action to recover $500, alleged to have been due since 1857. The jury rendered a verdict for plaintiff for the full amount of claim, with interest.

Samuel Stevenson vs Wm. P. McCabe. On trial.

Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The famous spectacular drama of the "Black Crook" was presented last evening for the first time in this city, to a crowded audience—in fact, the house was uncomfortably filled, and to a great extent the pleasure of witnessing the play was greatly marred thereby. The great attraction of the "Black Crook" is in its splendid scenery, the elegant costumes of the *dramatis personae*, the rich properties and novel mechanical effects. The plot, to a certain extent, embraces portions of Mephistopheles and Naiad Queen, and the combination is so deftly arranged that the play is very interesting, affording many excellent situations. The ballet, under the direction of Signoretta Jeuvetta, is an attractive feature of the play. The amazons, while they performed very well for a first attempt, should rehearse their marches frequently, in order to become more perfect. The same remark will apply to the "immortals," the "amphibia," the "gnomes," and the "skeletons." The scenery of the play is really magnificent, and well worth seeing of itself, the last scene of all, the palace of diamonds, with its shower of dew drops and the flight of Aurora in her aerial chariot, eclipsing in splendor anything of the kind we have ever seen. The play will be repeated to-night.

THEATRE.—Notwithstanding the attractions elsewhere, the Charley White Combination performed to a large audience last evening, and a most excellent performance it was. The minstrel part of the entertainment is very good; it could not be otherwise where the veteran minstrel, White, is. The ballet troupe, however, excels any similar troupe ever introduced upon the boards of this city, there being no less than ten danseuses. Manager Simpson is providing a pleasant entertainment, and deserves the liberal patronage which he is receiving.

VARIETIES.—At this popular Theatre the attractions continue to be of a very pleasing character, embracing drama, gymnastics, songs, dances and burlesques. The "Three Fast Men" are still holding forth, and the female minstrel scene is very amusing.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The sale of seats for the opening night of the distinguished actor, James E. Murdoch, will commence at Mellor's music store, 81 Wood street, to-day. If our people testify their appreciation of his talent, and also his patriotic acts during the war, Mr. Murdoch will have crowded audiences during his engagement.

MASONIC HALL.—The tableaux of "The Apocalypse" are still being exhibited to large audiences at Masonic Hall. There seems to be but little abatement in the desire to see this great exhibition.

THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Persons who intend to go to the Amateur Concert to-morrow evening must not be prevented from securing seats by the number already taken and marked off on the diagram at Messrs. Kleber's. The general prejudice against seats near to, or far from, the stage should not exist for a concert, where there is no band of instruments, and in a hall, whose capacity is due to its height and not to its depth. In fact, orchestra seats command, generally, higher prices than the parquette, behind; but in the Academy of Music the eye and ear are as well gratified from the extreme points as from the front.

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MORE EVIDENCE.—When I applied to the Indian Herb Doctor I had a severe pain in my breast, swelling of the abdomen, soreness in the right side and smothering at nights and loss of sleep. I thought I could not live a week. The Doctor has cured me. God bless him. May he live long to cure the people.

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MT. VERNON GROVE.—This is a magnificent country seat, on the Ohio river, and is offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Those desiring a rare and beautiful location for a country home will read the advertisement in another column.

BILIOUS' SUFFERER!—Use Holmes's Sanitary Tonic.

NEW TEAS, SUGARS, &C.—Messrs. Wilson & Underwood, No. 15 Diamond, Allegheny, are now retailing, at very low prices, one of the best stocks of teas and sugars, and fine groceries generally, that can be found in this region. We hope our readers will not fail to call upon this firm and examine their goods. One trial will prove the superior merits of their teas, which cannot be equalled for the price by any other dealers.

DISPEPTIC!—Use Holmes's Sanitary Tonic.

COD LIVER OIL.—The purest and sweetest Cod Liver Oil in the world, manufactured from fresh, healthy livers, upon the sea shore; it is Caswell's Cod Liver Oil, manufactured by Caswell, Mack & Co., New York. Sold by all druggists. MW*

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?—Victim of debility, who is responsible for your feebleness? Not yourself you will say, for you've done all you could to cure it. That's a mistake on your part. You haven't tried HOSTETTER'S BITTERS. Gloomy dyspeptic, with an uneasy stomach and a world-weary face, of course you don't think yourself responsible for your own torments. But you are. It is easy to see from your condition that

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Billious sufferer, it is not your fault, you think, that your system grows worse day by day. Blue pill doesn't do you any good. Very likely. But you can be brought around for all that.

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Friend, on whom Fever and Ague alternately blows hot and cold, and whose brain seems to be bursting with the effects of some powerful drug, do you assume the responsibility? O, no! You've taken piles of quinine, and all the regulation medicines. What could you do more? One thing more—the very thing that would have exempted you from all the pangs that now rack you.

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Nervous Invalid, what have you to say? You plead that you have taken all the nervines of the pharmacopoeia. If they have done you no good, it is not your fault. You are not responsible. Wrong, all wrong. You have, in reality, nobody to blame but yourself.

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For Private Houses.

No family can afford to do without music. It is a luxury and an economy: an alleviator of sorrow, and a spring of enjoyment; a protection against vice, and an incitement to virtue. When rightly used its effects, physical, intellectual, and moral, are good, very good, and only good.

Make home attractive:—Music affords a means of doing this.

Cultivate kindly feeling, love:—Music will help in this work.

Keep out angry feeling:—"Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast."

Be economical:—Pleasure, recreation all must have, and no pleasure costs less in proportion to its worth than home music.

Make your sons and daughters accomplished:—What accomplishment is more valuable than music?

Fit your daughters to support themselves in the future, if need be:—There has been no time in many years when any young lady having sufficient knowledge to teach music could not pleasantly earn a respectable support in that way.

But some may say, "I have no ear for music, nor have any of my family." Probably not one of you has ever tried it faithfully. Perhaps your sons had no natural "ear" for reading, or your daughters natural hands for writing; and certainly unless they had learned these things they would never have been accomplished in them. Music does, in fact, come more naturally to most people than many other accomplishments that are next to universal; yet it does not come to all without much time spent in careful cultivation.

The one best means of introducing music to the family, and inducing its cultivation, is to procure a good musical instrument. If none of your daughters or sons can play at all, yet, if they have a good instrument at hand, some of them will learn. In almost every family this will be the case. Buy an instrument, and try the experiment. If it succeeds only to a very small extent, the cost will be repaid many fold.

For this purpose no instrument presents more attractions than the Cabinet Organ; considering its moderate cost and general convenience, none is so available.

The introduction of this instrument has indeed added a most important resource to the possibilities of home music; that best, most important of all music. It is made in such variety of styles, and at such wide range of prices, as to suit the taste and means of all classes. Some of the largest sized Cabinet Organs, in elegant cases, at five hundred to one thousand dollars each, are among the most exquisite pieces of furniture imaginable. Those at less prices are worthy a place in any drawing-room. The plainer styles are only one or two hundred dollars each; while the Portable Organs are furnished as low as seventy-five dollars.

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WE HAVE NOW OPEN a splendid stock of white and fancy China dinner and tea sets of a superior quality, and newest styles. R. E. Breed & Co., No. 100 Wood street.

STRANGERS SHOULD NOT LEAVE the city without visiting the Photographic Gallery of B. L. H. Dabbs, Nos. 46 and 48 St. Clair street.

USE Holmes's great ague mixture.

WITH THE RETURN OF SPRING, it is the usual custom to replenish the wardrobe with goods suitable for the season. Gentlemen are recommended to call on R. Mitchell, No. 91 Federal street, Allegheny.

HOLMES'S MEDICINES for sale by all respectable druggists.

THERE is no establishment in the city which can sell a finer article in Segars, Tobacco, etc., either wholesale or retail, at a more moderate price than can be had at my store. C. S. Herron, No. 184 Wood street.

NERVOUS INVALID, use Holmes's Sanitary Tonic.

GODFREY & CLARK manufacture the best paper sacks in the United States for putting up flour, corn meal, &c. Call and see them. Warehouse, No. 357 Liberty street.

HANDSOME and cheap artificial flowers at Abel & Co's., 54 St. Clair street.

TRY Holmes's Great Sanitary Tonic.

REMOVAL.—Grover & Baker's sewing machines have removed from No. 18 to No. 105 Fifth street, two doors below the Cathedral.

TRY Holmes's great ague mixture.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Pitts. Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

Pittsburgh Glass Manufacturing Company, 4 bxs glassware; Haldman, Bahn & Co, 4 springs; T Hare & Bro, 3 bbls pork, 2 do shoulders; D Holmes, Smith & Co, 12 sks rags; H Riddle, 1 keg eggs, 4 bbls do; H F Adams, Son & Co, 45 bbls keg headings; McElroy & Co, 40 bbls broom handles; A Hoevler & Co, 36 sks tanner scraps, 1 bale tails; M O Jones, 1 hf bbl japan; Schmidtack & Sauters, 24 bbls flour; J Hinkle, 1 car scrap iron; A Taylor, 1 car corn; E Heazelton, 1 bbl mdse; J B Canfield & Son, 9 tubs butter; Postley & Nelson, 300 doz fork handles, 60 bbls do; N J Bracken, 13 bxs cheese; Hubbard & Bro, 1 circular saw; Means & Coffin, 1 bbl tin cans; Henderson & Bro, 1 box tea; Wm H Kirkpatrick & Co, 9 bxs cheese; McKee & Bro, 3 bbls cullett, 6 bxs, 8 bbls glassware; D Beatty, 5 bbls staves; Henry Rea, Jr, 160 sks rye; J B Leech, 100 bbls flour; S Lindsey, Jr & Co, 200 do do; T Collins, 160 sks oats; G W Finch, 225 sks malt, 25 bbls spirits; J H Ralston, 200 green hides; Frank & Son, 1 box glassware; Lawrence & Weightman, 1 bbl cullett; J P Smith, 1 bbl lanterns; Collins & Wright, 1 box hardware; C G Hussey, & Co, 2 boxes brass; W H Smith, 2 chests tools; J B Lyon & Co, 1 bbl glassware; J P Paddin, 3 bbls crackers; Watt & Wilson, 6 packages household goods; Oinhausen & Co, 1 box hardware; Newcomer, Goe & Co, 5 half chests tea; Scott & Hennigan, 8 bxs cheese, 2 do pickles; Pease & Moore, 6 oil bbls; T Perkins, 1 cask, 1 box mouldings; Jones & Laughlins, 2 bbls, 1 bbl scrap iron; Adams & Co, 2 casks cullett.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—Bundte & Co, 1 car stone; McIntyre & McN, 1 do do; Superior Iron Company, 4 cars limestone; John Rayton, 4 bbls green apples; W McKee & Co, 1 car buckwheat; W M Cummings, 1 car sand; R & A Carson, 1 keg; D Lesher, 6 cane seats, 1 box, 1 rail, 2 springs, 3 bundles; Stewart & Langenheim, 200 bbls flour.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

T C Jenkins, 220 sks potatoes; L H Volgt & Co, lot of household goods, 4 bbls eggs, 1 half bbl butter, 4 kegs lard, 1 sack feathers; Fairbanks, Morse & Co, 2 bxs scales, 1 scale cupboard; W H Wallace, 50 bbls plaster; W H Shoenberger & Blair, 6 cars iron ore; Wood & Lukens, 5 do do; Jos Hastings, 1 car staves; J McAlpine, 3 sks potatoes; Wm Kins, 41 sks barley; J J Bender, 1 car kegs; D Gates, 5 sks rags; William Flacus & Son, 22 sks tanner scraps, 1 do tails, 3 do horns; J D Dravo, 1 bbl twine; Jacob Baldinger, 1 cask cheese; C Konig, 2 do do, 6 bbls eggs, 4 do bacon; E McKinney, 4 bbls corn meal; Graff & Reiter, 1 bbl bacon; E Heazelton, 4 bbls eggs, 2 bbls butter, 10 bxs soap, 5 bxs, 3 bbls potash; Thos Mitchell, 4 packages produce; W H Kirkpatrick & Co, 2 bbls eggs; Henry Rea, Jr, 3 packages dried apples, 1 cask bacon; D H Hall & Co, 5 bbls sugar; Carter, McGraw & Co, 14 do do; W & A J Packard, 1 box hardware; L B Bowie, 6 bbls and 6 hf bbls fish; Sagin & Hoskisson, 7 packages groceries; W Baugher, 4 bbls fish, 6 kitts do; Feizer & Armstrong, 1 bbl eggs.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—Hahn & Hadley, 10 boxes soap; Robinson & McKee, 4 bbls eggs; D B May, 1 keg sundries; J A H Nichols, 1 cask, 1 bbl; Jno Herbert, 3 crocks butter, 2 kegs lard; Excelsior Coffin Manufacturing Company, 2 cars lumber; Schulz & Danner, 4 bxs soap, J D Layng, 3 cars coal.

Pitts. Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad.

L G Graff & Co, 4 cars corn; Campbell & Aiken, 2 cars hay; Jas Connor, 130 half bbls herring; G D Whitcombe, 6,665 feet lumber, 2½ M shingles, 1 door and frame, 3 window frames; McHenry & Hunt, 15 sks corn; S F Patterson, 1 box sundries; Jas Gibson, 12 sacks corn; J Hohmer, 2 bbls bacon; A Levy, 1 bx, 1 trunk, mdse; J B Meanor, 2 bbls eggs; Whitmore, Wolf, Duff & Co, 1 mill saw; J Knox, 4 sks seed; Schomaker & Lang, 50 bbls flour; T C Jenkins, 1 cask, 2 bbls meat; L H Volgt & Co, 2 bbls eggs, 1 keg lard, 1 box bacon; G Dickson, 19 bbls potatoes, Feckham & Long, 1 dog power; Atwell, Lee & Co, 25 hf bbls fish; P H Laufman & Bro, 8 bdls hoes, 3 do forks; J H Lautner, 4 bdls line, 2 do hoes, 8 steel anvils; Benzing & Gimber, 2 cars staves; Weyman & Bro, 10 hhds tobacco.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

A Laughlin, 1 car pig iron; Star Fire Brick Co, 1 car fire clay; Wm Bingham, 257 bushels oats; John Hoffman, 30 calves; Monongahela House, 7 packages marketing; Various owners, 175 bushels oats, 58 packages marketing; Bailiff & Brown, 3 bbls shad, J Diamond, 98 sacks corn, 2 do husks; P McAfee, 4 hogs; Head & Metzgar, 3 packages mdse; G Hamhoff, 1 box butter, 3 bbls, 1 box eggs; H Landes, 1 box butter, 3 bbls, 1 box eggs; J R Voskamp, 1 box butter, 3 bbls eggs; H Freese, 1 box butter, 3 bbls, 1 box eggs; M George, 1 box butter, 1 bbl eggs; Weldon & Kelly, 5 bbls refined oil; S Beatty & Son, 104 sacks oats.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

Charles B Leech, 70 bbls cement; S M Wickersham, 2 cars pig iron; Wm McCully & Co, 1 car sand; J H Page, Jr, 1 do do; Lawrence & Whiteman, 1 do do; Miling & Estep, 1 car stone; P R Mertz, 1 car lumber; Considine & Kelly, 1 lot scrap iron; J Munk, 15 bbl flour; J C Markle & Co, 18 bdls commercial printing paper; McLane, 1 safe; A G Oliver, 1 box boring tools; Newcomer, Goe & Co, 3 oil bbls; Fry & Scott, 335 bxs glass.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Parkersburg.

PER STEAMER LENI LEOTI.—George H Anderson & Co, 1 roll leather; Little, Baird & Patton, 5 hf butts tobacco, 6 packages do; H H Collins, 50 bbls cement; Clarke & Co, 14 hhds tobacco, 443 sks corn, 15 bales hemp; J M Sichel, 3 hf butts tobacco; J M Reiter, 1 box iron; Owner, 50 empty kegs; A Bradley & Co, 1 broken stove; Buffum, Kehew & Co, 50 bbls lubricating oil; Loomis & Collard, 18 tons pig iron; Fetzer & Armstrong, 3 bbls eggs, 1 hf do butter; T C Jenkins, 3 bbls butter; J & W Fairley, 161 sacks corn; E M Porter, 1 tool chest, 2 kegs; Lippincott & Bakewell, 1 circular saw; James Collins, 322 oil bbls; Fleming & Co, 151 oil bbls; Head & Metzgar, 1 bbl eggs, 1 do flaxseed, 1 do beans, 12 do potatoes; George Schively, 1,000 staves; Pittsburgh Paper Manufacturing Company, 126 bbls paper; Schulz & Danner, 30 bxs soap.

Pitts. Brownv. and Geneva Peoples' Line.

Wallace & Curtis, 28 oil bbls; E Hezleton, 1 bbl molasses, 1 bbl eggs, Mr Young, 1 lot scrap iron; H Super, 1 bbl whisky; Shriver, Spencer & Co, 2 empty tcs.

Pitts. Brownv. and Geneva U. S. Mail Line.

J Nelson, 1 moving; J Lockins, 1 box mdse, 1 sack potatoes; G A Kelly, 1 bbl crackers; B L Fahnestock & Co, 1 box sundries; M W Rankin, 4 bbls eggs, 2 firkins butter; Smith, Johnson & Colvin, 1 box mdse.

MARRIED:

WENDT—SCOTT—On Thursday, May 2d, at the residence of the bride's mother, New Sheffield, Beaver county, Pa., by Rev. J. W. Witherspoon, CHRIS. I. WENDT, M. D., of New Brighton, Pa., to Miss MAGGIE E. SCOTT. No cards.

DIED:

EDIE—May 5th, GUIAN EDIE, SEN., in the 75th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 27 Esplanade street, Allegheny city, on WEDNESDAY, May 8th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

TUESDAY EVENING, May 7, 1867.

The discounts at some of our banks are up to a fair average of their usual line. The Savings Banks are full of offerings which they are not able to reach. Private banking houses have more paper presented at their counters than they can purchase, but as a general feature of the market it may be noted that loans are more easily negotiated, and there is an increasing tendency to greater ease.

—Governments continue active and very firm. There is still a large amount of disengaged funds coming into the market, which prefers employment in this form, even at the extraordinary prices of bonds. The advance in railroad shares induces some holders of stocks to sell out, and invest the proceeds in Governments. McVay & Co.'s dispatches from their New York correspondents, Jay, Cook & Co., quote Governments as follows:

6s 1881	111¼
5-20s, 1862	107¾
" 1864	105¼
" 1865, May and November	106
5-20s, 1865, January and July	107⅝
10-40s	99¾
December '64 Compounds	116¾
August 7-30s	106¼
June 7-30s	105⅝
July 7-30s	105⅝
Gold	138⅛

—New York quotations of Government Securities received by James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth and Wood streets:

Gold	137⅝
U. S. 6s, 1881	111¼
U. S. 5-20s, 1862	107¾
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	105¼
U. S. 5-20s, 1865	106¼
Coupons	[illegible]
August 7-30s	106¼
June 7-30s	105⅝
July 7-30s	105⅝
December Compounds, 1864	[illegible]

—Railway stocks at the New York Stock Exchange, were not so strong to-day, as will be seen from Bryan's dispatches:

Michigan Southern	68¾
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	73
P., F. Wayne & Chicago	97¼
Erie	63¼
Chicago & Rock Island	93¾
Chicago & Northwestern	35¼
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	62
New York Central	97¼
Reading	103¾

—The statement that the early-maturing compound notes will be paid will probably be fully verified in June, when a few millions fall due. Prior to September, about $40,000,000 matures—an amount within the ability of the Treasury to pay, by calling upon the national depositories for their balances, in addition to its other resources. It is also expected that the Secretary will soon announce his readiness to pay, on the 15th of August, all the Seven-thirties not notified for funding, and that all not presented for funding, or payment, will pass under the head of "debts matured and not presented for payment." Parties holding the August notes will do well to get them in while the Secretary gives such favorable terms in regard to accrued interest on the bonds.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company have announced a semi-annual dividend of three per cent., payable in cash, free of tax, on the 30th instant. Also an extra dividend of five per cent., based upon the profits earned prior to January 1, 1867, clear of National and State taxes, payable in stock, on and after May 30, at its par value of fifty dollars per share, the shares for stock dividend to be dated May 1, 1867. Scrip certificates will be issued for fractional parts of shares. Said scrip will not be entitled to any interest or dividend, but will be convertible into stock when presented in sums of fifty dollars.

—The receipts of the Western Union Railroad Company for the week ending April 30, 1867, were $13,633 72, in 1866, $14,699 22. From January 1, to April 30: 1866, $163,740 31; 1867, $143,846 78; Decrease, $19,893 53.

—S. S. Bryan, Broker in Government, Railway and other Bonds, and Bank and Railway Stocks, &c., Apollo Building, Fourth street. Orders for the purchase and sale of stocks executed at the New York, Philadelphia and Boston Stock Boards at the regular rates of commission current in those cities.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, TUESDAY EVENING, May 7, 1867.

The general markets to-day was only moderately active, but a noticeable improvement was observable over Monday's business. Trade, however, is dull and merchants, notwithstanding the partial resumption of most of our Iron Mills, are anticipating a dull season of trade. With the exception of such articles of consumption as are absolutely required, there is nothing doing whatever.

The receipts of leading articles of produce per river and railroad since our last were as follows: Flour, 650 bbls; apples, 111 bbls; cheese, 81 boxes; corn, 1,383 sacks; barley, 730 sacks; wheat, 312 sacks; oats, 924 sacks, and butter 27 packages.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale prices, unless otherwise stated:

APPLES—The market is rather inactive, except for those in good order. We observed sales of choice at from $5 to $6 ℔ barrel from store. Inferior qualities are nominal in price, ranging from $3 to $4 50 ℔ barrel, as to quality.

BUTTER—The market is dull and prices irregular. There is a good supply on the market. We note sales of 3,000 ℔s Fresh Roll at 23c ℔ ℔ to go East; 12 packages choice at 25@28c; 3,000 ℔s, fit only for grease, at 8½c, and 6 ton of do at 9c ℔ ℔.

BACON AND LARD—There has been no change since our last. We quote from packers Sugar Cured Hams, 15½c; canvassed Sugar Cured Hams, 16½c; Shoulders, 9¾@10c; Sides, 11¾c, and Lard 13@13½c ℔ ℔. Also sales of 1,800 ℔s country meat at 9c for Shoulders; 11½c for clear Sides, and 13½c for Hams.

CHEESE—We note sales of new Western Reserve at 15c ℔ ℔.

DRIED FRUIT—Prices are nominal. Sales of peaches were made at 13@18c ℔ ℔, and apples at 8@9½c ℔ ℔.

EGGS—Market dull. Those in good order are selling, from store, at 15c ℔ doz.

FLOUR—There continues a good demand at last quotations. We quote good Spring brands held firmly at $15 ℔ bbl, but some dealers are asking higher figures.

GRAIN—No reported sales of wheat, and prices are entirely nominal.

OATS—Market more active and prices a shade higher. Sales from store were made at 68c, and 1 car at the depot sold for 65c per bus.

CORN—The market is firm at $1 12 ℔ bushel.

RYE—We note sales at $1 62 ℔ bushel, but some dealers are asking $1 65 ℔ bushel.

SEED—We quote sales of Timothy Seed at $2 75@3 00 ℔ bushel.

POTATOES—We note sales of 50 bbls P. B. at $2 75 ℔ bbl, and 20 bbls Buckeyes at $3 25@3 50 ℔ bbl.

MAPLE SUGAR AND MOLASSES—We note sales of Sugar at 14c and cakes at 16@18c ℔ ℔. Molasses sold at $1 50 ℔ gallon.

WHISKY—We note sales of 50 bbls Rye, in bond, at $1 00 ℔ bbl.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, WEDNESDAY, May 8, 1867.

Business yesterday exhibited more activity. The demand was large, and buyers were more disposed to operate. A number of lots were disposed of at a slight advance in prices. Dispatches were received from Oil City that produced an upward movement in prices. The current rates for good gravity, in bulk, on the spot, were 7c. The sales in lots for present and future delivery were 9,140 barrels. The receipts by river increased, amounting to 15,880 bbls. The sales made were as follows:

CRUDE—With a fair supply on hand we note the following sales: 1,500 bbls bulk, immediate delivery, at 7c; 3,000 bbls bulk, on the spot, at 7c; 1,000 bbls do, on the spot, at 7c; 500 bbls bulk at 7c; 1,000 bbls do, in 500 bbl lots, at 7c; 2,000 bbls do at 6¾c, and 140 bbls, including packages at 11¼@11½c—a low figure.

REFINED OIL—The market was steady, and buyers were more disposed to operate. The sales reported reach 5,500 barrels, deliverable as follows: 500 bbls bonded, standard white, Philadelphia delivery, from June 1st to 15th, at 27c; 500 bbls bonded, standard white, September, Philadelphia, 30c; 500 bbls do, October, 30c, and 500 bbls do, November, 30c. Sales 500 bbls standard White, June, 27½c; 500 bbls do, July, 28c. Sales 1,500 bbls do prime light straw to white, June, 26c. Sales 1,000 bbls, July delivery, Philadelphia, 26½c.

FREE OIL—Was dull with limited sales for local purposes at 40@41c per gallon.

TITUSVILLE, PA.—Messrs. Smith & Coutant, of Titusville, in their circular of the 3d inst., give the following quotations for ordinary gravities of crude oil delivered on tank cars at the points designated, for the past week:

Petroleum Center	$2 30@2 20
Boyd	2 25@2 15
Pioneer	2 10@1 80
Shaffer	2 35@2 25
Miller	2 20@2 10
Titusville	2 25@2 10

Low gravities, say 45 degrees and under, have commanded an advance on the above rates of 10@20c ℔ barrel. The market has ruled very quiet for the entire week, and prices have slowly declined, but not enough to induce buyers to purchase freely. The tank car lines are for the most part idle, and owners of iron tankage prefer to wait for lower prices before filling. The general tone of the market is dependent.

The shipments for the week, via Oil Creek Railroad, have amounted to 10,800 bbls., say:

To New York	8,436 bbls.
To Cleveland	5,655 "
To Other Points	2,709 "

The estimated daily production of Oil in Western Pennsylvania is now about 8,500 barrels.

Oil Receipts per River and Rail.

Wm. McCutcheon	50	J. K. Barbour	50
Herdman, Keefer &c.	10	Wm. Halderman	3,700
Charles Ecky	270	Fisher & Bro	11,800
Total			15,880

Oil Shipped East by A. V. R. R.

Clark & Sumner, 333 bbls ref. to P Wright & Sons, Philadelphia.
Pacific Oil Co, 310 bbls refined to C W Morse, Philadelphia.
Forsyth, Bro & Co., 210 bbls refined to Waring & King, Phila.
J K Barbour, 150 bbls ref. to W P Logan, Phila.
J Meyer & Co, 150 bbls refined to Waring & King, Philadelphia.
Wightman & Anderson, 63 bbls ref. to P Wright & Sons, Phila.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

The total receipts of beef cattle for the four months, ending April 30, 1867, were 105,093 head, against 133,303 head same time last year. The sales for the past week were 6,277 head. The week has been unusually active and one of profit to drovers. At no time during the season has the demand for good first and second class Steers been more animated, and at no time have holders been enabled to realize such extravagant rates. This is explained by the fact, says the *Tribune*, that there is little really choice stock coming forward, and by the other fact that the supply of such back in the country—outside of the hands of speculators—is limited. We have conversed freely with drovers from nearly all sections of this State, Wisconsin and Iowa, and all concur in the opinion that the supply of first class Cattle is considerably below that of last year, and far short of the legitimate wants of the trade. Hence, under an almost unprecedented demand for first class stock, values during the past four weeks have appreciated fully $1 25@1 50 ℔ 100 ℔s. By many—and among this number are some whose opinions are entitled to a good deal of consideration—a further advance is anticipated. At all events, should the receipts not be materially increased, it is not improbable that the present high rates may be tolerably well sustained for a considerable length of time.

The arrivals for the past week have been liberal, but owing to the activity exhibited by nearly all classes of operators, the supply has proven insufficient. The offerings were fully up to, and indeed rather better than the average in point of quality, embracing several droves of prime "Stillers." The character of the demand was substantially the same as noted in our last weekly review, the inquiry as heretofore, being chiefly on Eastern account, though traders and city butchers were as active as the limited amount of stock suited to their several wants, would permit. Feeders from Western New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Indiana, have been in attendance, and bought freely at $4 00@5 50 for common to good stock cattle averaging from 900 to 1,100 pounds. On Saturday last the market was quiet on account of a scarcity of stock with which to operate. The pens are empty, and the market closed strong at the following prices:

CATTLE QUOTATIONS.

Extra Beeves—Fine, fat, well formed, 4 to 6 year old steers, and averaging 1,200 ℔s and upwards ... $8 75@9 00
Prime Beeves—Good, well fatted, finely formed steers, averaging from 1,100 to 1,300 ℔s, at ... 8 25@8 50
Fair Grades—Fair steers, in fair flesh, averaging 1,000@1,200 ℔s, at ... 7 50@8 00
Medium Class—Medium steers and good cows, fit for city slaughter and averaging 800@1,100 ℔s, at ... 6 50@7 25
Stock Cattle—Common cattle in decent flesh, averaging 800@1,000 ℔s, at ... 5 75@7 25
Inferior—Light and thin cows and steers. 4 50@5 75

Hogs—owing to the excessive supply in the market, and the rather unfavorable tenor of Eastern advices, the week just closed has been a dull and unprofitable one. The receipts have been large, exceeding by 9,427 head the receipts of last week, and with only a moderate demand, prices have readily receded, showing a decline, during the week, of fully 25@35c ℔ 100 ℔s. On Saturday there was little doing, only 1,114 head changing hands. These were taken at and within the range of $5 25@6 00 for stock Pigs to common mixed lots; $6 25@6 50 for medium to fair, and $6 75@6 85 for good to prime Hogs. The market closes quiet with 2,000 head left in the pens unsold.

We give below the closing prices of this week, compared with those of last:

	This week.	Last week.
Good to choice	$6 70@6 85	$7 00@7 25
Medium to fair	6 35@6 50	6 50@6 75
Common	6 00@6 25	6 25@6 50
Stock hogs	5 00@5 75	5 00@6 75

Sheep—The receipts for the week were 4,304 head, and the shipments 4,513 head. There has been an active shipping demand, and a fair local inquiry throughout, and all desirable offerings have found a quick sale at good prices. We quote:

Good to Choice grades	$7 85@8 25
Medium to Fair grades	7 25@7 75
Common grades	6 00@7 00
Inferior	6 50@6 75

LOUISVILLE.

At the Shelby House the supply of cattle offered the week was fair, and prices about the same at the previous week. Good fat cattle were in demand. We quote prices ranging from 7¾ to 8c and 8½c for the best, and 7@7½c for good fat oxen, and 4½ to 6c for the lower grades. At the Bourbon House the market continues about the same. Receipts were light, but equal to the demand for home consumption. Sales range at 7½c to 8c for the best; 6½@7½c for fair to good, and 5@6c for common to ordinary. At the Southern Stock Yards the market price continues about the same, with scarcely a change in rates, and are worth from 7@8c; medium from 6@7c; rough and common 4½@5½c.

Hogs—At the Shelby House the market supplied for the week, sales from 7¼@8c, and a few at 8¼c. Range at 7½c for the lower grades. At the Bourbon House the supply was equal to the demand. Sales range at 7½c for the best, and 7@7½c for fair to good, and common from 7@7½c, gross. At the Southern Stock Yards there was a continued good demand for good butcher hogs with but few on the market. We quote best selling from 7@8½c; medium 6@7c.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

The sales at the four auction warehouses, during the current tobacco year, including reviews, amounted to 15,720 hhds. On Saturday last the market closed active, and with a strong competition among buyers, and prices ruled very firm at the following quotations:

SHIPPING QUALITIES.

	Light.	Heavy.
Common sound lugs	$3 00@ 4 50	$4 00@ 4 25
Good sound lugs	3 50@ 5 00	4 50@ 5 00
Common sound leaf	5 50@ 7 00	6 00@ 7 00
Medium sound leaf	8 00@10 00	9 00@10 00
Good leaf	12 00@14 00	13 00@15 00
Fine leaf	14 00@18 00	15 00@18 00
Choice	nominal.	nominal.

MANUFACTURING QUALITIES.

	Dark wrappers.	Bright wrappers.
Common and medium	$10 00@12 00	$15 00@20 00
Good and fine	14 00@18 00	25 00@35 00
Fancy		40 00@60 00

CUTTING TOBACCO.

Common cutting at	$ 8 00@12 00
Medium cutting at	12 00@15 00
Good cutting at	18 00@22 00
Fine	24 00@28 00
Choice	30 00@35 00

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 7, 1867.

FLOUR—Tolerably active and steady for the better grades; spring extra $12 50@14 50.

WHEAT—In limited demand and 5c lower; sales of No. 2 at $2 65@2 67, closing quiet at the inside.

CORN—Active; sales of No. 1 at $1 05¼@1 07¾; No. 2 at 98@$1 01; closing quiet with buyers of No. 1 at $1 06, and sellers at $1 06½.

OATS—Moderately active at 63½@65½c for No. 2.

RYE—2 and 3c lower at $1 52@1 56 for No. 1.

BARLEY—Quiet at 90@98c for No. 2 in store.

PROVISIONS—More active; mess pork, $22 50. Lard 12¾c.

BEEF CATTLE—Quiet at $5 75@6 85 for common cows and fair stock steers; $7 75@8 90 for good to extra choice steers.

HOGS—Active at $6 12½@6 40 for common to fair; $6 75@7 10 for good to choice smooth.

SHEEP—Active and firm at $6 75@8 15.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Cotton dull and heavy; sales 900 bales at 27c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 4,168 bbls; market quiet and firm; prices without decided change; sales 9,800 bbls at $11 20@12 10 for superfine State and Western; $12 50@14 10 for extra Western; $14 00@15 10 for choice; $13 50@14 50 for shipping brands extra round hoop Ohio; $14 60@16 80 for trade brands, closing quiet. California firmer; sales 1,800 bbls and sacks at $16 75@17 50. Rye flour firmer; sales 150 bbls at $8 30@9 10. Whisky without decided change, and in fair demand; sales 300 bbls Western in bond at 31c. No receipts of wheat; market firm and less active; sales 21,000 bush at $2 50 for No. 2 Milwaukee; $3 55 for choice amber State; $4 52@3 56 for white California. Rye quiet; sales 5,600 bush Western at $1 66@1 68. Barley quiet. Malt dull. Receipts of Corn 45,442 bushels; market heavy and 2@3c lower; sales 116,000 bush at $1 35@1 37 for old mixed Western in store; $1 37@1 38 for do afloat; $1 30@1 33 for mixed Western; $1 33@1 34 for Western yellow; $1 28 for new white Western, and $1 17 for interior Western mixed. Receipts of Oats 10,440 bush; Oats a shade firmer; sales 102,000 bush at 82@85c for Western, and 87@88c for State. Stocks in warehouse—Wheat 153,865 bush; Corn 558,832 bushels; Oats 817,485 bushels; Rye 212,484 bushels; Barley 250,356 bushels; Malt 32,332 bushels. Rice is quiet. Coffee firm; sales of 3,200 bags Rio on private terms; 750 do Maracaibo at 17½c. Molasses nominally unchanged. Sugar steady; sales 1,500 hhds Cuba at 10⅛@12½c; 275 boxes Havana, on private terms. Petroleum steady at 16c for crude, 29c for refined in bond. Pork steady; sales 3,500 bbls at $23 12@23 18⅞ for new mess, closing at $23 15, cash; $22 for old mess; $19 50 for prime, and $22 12 for prime mess. Beef firm; sales 350 bbls at previous prices. Beef hams $16@21. Cut meats firmer; sales 150 boxes at 9@10c for shoulders; 12@16c for hams. Lard—sales 850 bbls at 12½@13½c. Butter more active at 11@14c for Ohio. Cheese firm at 17@19c. Bacon quiet; sales 100 boxes at 11½c for short ribbed; 11¾c for long ribbed.

LATEST—5 P. M.—Flour closed dull; medium and good grades are very firm, with but little inquiry for low grades. Wheat closed firmly held, but with millers not disposed to operate to any extent at present. Rye quiet and steady at $1 66@1 67 for western. Barley quiet and firm. Oats steady at 83@85c for western. Corn dull and heavy; old shipping mixed western held at $1 36 in store, and $1 37 afloat; new mixed buyers at $1 35 in store and $1 37 afloat. Pork lower and unsettled and heavy at $1 23@1 30. Pork lower and heavy; sales 500 bbls new mess at $23 05, closing with sellers at $23 05, cash and regular; buyers at $23. Beef steady and unchanged. Cut meats firm and in fair demand. Bacon firm at 11½@12c. Lard firm; land cut. Lard firm at 13@13¾c for fair to prime steam, and 13½@13¾c for kettle rendered.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, May 7.—Flour firm at $12 50@13 25 for Winter Superfine, and $14 00@16 25 for trade brands. Wheat irregular; sales of No. 2 Spring at $2 87, and No. 2 Winter at $3 48; No. 1 Winter is held at $3 60. Corn dull at 97c for No. 1 in bulk, and $1 03 sacked. Oats steady at 71@72c. Rye $1 70. Barley steady. Whisky 26c in bond. Provisions dull; sales of mess pork at $22 50. Bulk meats dull and prices light; sales of shoulders at 8¾c; sides 10¾c. Lard dull at 12½@12¾c. Groceries steady and in fair demand. Butter dull at 20@26c for fresh-made central Ohio; all Winter made dull and demand limited. Gold closed dull at 137½ buying, and 138 selling. Exchange steady.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 7.—Tobacco unchanged. Cotton dull and heavy at 23½c for middling. Flour firm but slow, and business small, at $10@11 25 for super; $13@16 for double extra; $17@18 for fancy. Wheat firmer and higher for spring; $2 75@2 90 for good and prime spring; $3 50@3 55 for strictly prime; $3 60 for choice. Corn buoyant and higher at $1 14, and $1 18@1 20, the latter for fancy. Oats have further advanced on account of the large demand by government; quoted to choice 95@98c. Barley dull and nothing doing. Rye held higher; $1 50 offered; $1 55 asked. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Lard—no sales reported. Whisky nominal for free; 25c in bond.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, May 7.—Coffee quiet. Rice 12¾@13¾c, gold, for bonded. Flour advanced 50c; Baltimore family $15 50; Baltimore extra $15@15; spring wheat extra $13 50@14 00. Wheat—Sales 4 000 bush Pennsylvania red at $3 30 for prime; no prime or choice Maryland offered. Corn dull and lower, particularly yellow; white $1 25@1 27; yellow, $1 25@1 28. Oats 93c; Rye $1 60. Sugar quiet and steady at 10¾@13¼c for fair to good refining. Provisions dull and unchanged and holders firm. Whisky nominal at 25 @28c for bonded.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, May 7.—Tobacco higher; sales 207 hhds. lights lugs, $5; medium leaf $16 50. Superfine flour of good brands, $10@11. Wheat nominal. Corn—Shelled, $1 13@1 16. Corn meal better at $1 05. Oats in bulk, 82@85c. Mess Pork $22 50. Bacon shoulders 9@9¼c, packed; clear sides 12¼c. Lard in tierces 12½c. Raw whisky, $2 23. free. Cotton 22c for low middling.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, May 7.—Flour quiet and firm. Wheat a shade weaker; sales of amber Michigan at $3 25@3 26. Corn 5c lower, but active at the decline, closing at $1 06½ for new. No. 1 Wabash, $1 05 for Michigan. Oats firm at 74c. Rye $1 65. Lake freights dull and nominal.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 6.—Flour quiet and steady; City XX $13 50@14 50; X $12 75@13 25. Wheat active at $2 81@2 83½ for No. 2; $2 66@2 67 for No. 3. Oats firm at 72@73c for No. 1; 71@72c for No. 2. Corn steady at $1 13 for No. 1 old; $1 03 for new shelled.

New York Finance and Trade

Gold Closed at 137⅝@137¾.

NEW YORK, May 7—P. M.

THE MONEY MARKET

Continues easy. The supply exceeds the demand.

FAILURE.

The failure of Watts, Crane & Co., a large cotton firm, is announced, with extensive connections and heavy liabilities. The firm had considerable foreign exchange out, and losses are wide spread. In this connection the name of a bank was mentioned as a heavy sufferer. The report is not fully authenticated.

STERLING

Is firmer in consequence of this failure, but business was light. Prime bankers' 109⅝@109¾; frands 512½@513¾.

GOVERNMENTS

Quiet and firm. Closing prices: Registered '81, 111¼@111½; coupons '81, 111¾@111⅞; 5-20s registered, '62, 105½@105¾; 5-20 coupons '62, 107¾@108; 5-20 coupons '64, 105¼@105⅜; do. '65, 106@108; do. January and July, 107⅝@107¾; 10-40s registered, 99½@99¾; 10-40 coupons, 99¾@100; August 7-30s, 106¼@106⅜; June 7-30s, 105⅝@105¾.

GOLD

Closed at 137⅝@137¾. Cash gold was loaned to-day from flat to 1 per cent. for carrying.

STOCKS

Opened weak on railways, and prices declined. After call Erie advanced to 63¼. The whole market was firmer in sympathy, but generally dull. Prices were heavy and lower at the one o'clock board, and there was a further general decline at the second and last open board, but after call there was a rally of ½ to ⅝ per cent. on money shares. The depression to-day is owing in part to the fact that a large amount of stock has been thrown on the market within two days. It is also reported that a general railroad convention will be held at Cleveland to settle without through rates of freight from the West, as some of the companies are cutting under. There were free short sales on this announcement, in anticipation of trouble.

CLOSING PRICES.

Closing rates at 5:30 P. M.: American gold, 137⅝@137¾; Ohio Certificates, 23@23½; Canton, 43¼; Cumberland, 30@30¼; Quicksilver, 28¾@29¼; Mariposa, 7@8; do preferred, 19@20; Western Union Telegraph, 42¼@42⅜; New York Central, 97⅛@97¼; Erie, 63@63⅛; Hudson, 96@96¼; Reading, 103⅛@103¼; Michigan Southern, 66¾@67⅛; Illinois Central, 114@115¾; Pittsburgh, 72@72⅛; Rock Island, 93@93⅛; Northwestern, 35@35⅛; do preferred, 60⅞@61⅛; Fort Wayne, 95½@96. The market closed firmer, with an advance in Erie and other shares after last board.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Miscellaneous shares less active and all lower. Coal shares firm, with, however, no considerable difference in bidding and asking prices.

BORDER STATE BONDS

Quiet and steady. Missouri, 94¾; North Carolina, ex-coupon, 47; do, new, 46; Tennessee, ex-coupon, 64¼; do, new, 62¾.

STEAMSHIP SHARES

Lower. Pacific, 129; Atlantic, 94¼.

MINING SHARES.

Market heavy and lower. The great feature was Gregory, which sold from $7 15 to $8 25. A large amount of stock was sold out on the recent developments. Quartz Hill is down to $1 40, rallied to $1 50 @1 60, but closed dull at $1 55. Corydon sold from 95c to $1 20. Sensederfer declined to $8.

Receipts at the United States Treasury to-day $3,031,395; payments, $2,242,303.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Money more active at 4@5 per cent. for call. Sterling firm at 109⅝@109¾, gold, for first class bills. Gold firmer, opening at 137⅝, advancing to 138⅜, and closing at 137¾. Government stocks moderately active, with no decided change. Freights to Liverpool quiet and unchanged.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—Cotton unsettled; sales 3,000 bales low middling at 24@25c. Receipts for four days 2,445 bales; exports 3,521 bales. Sugar—second 11½c; good fair 12½c; yellow clarified 13½c. Molasses nominal and unchanged. Flour firm; superfine $13 25. Corn quiet and firm at an advance of 5c; sales at $1 40@1 47½ for yellow and mixed; $1 50 for white. Oats in good demand at a further advance of 5c; sales at 94c. Mess pork $24 50. Lard dull and unchanged. Bacon—Only a jobbing business at 8@9½c for shoulders, 11½@12c for rib sides; 12½@12¾c for clear sides. Gold 137¾. Sterling 146 @150. New York sight Exchange ⅛@¼ per cent. premium.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, May 7.—Flour quiet; stock light; sales 100 bbls Western Spring at $14 25; 150 do Canada white at $16 00@16 50. Wheat in good inquiry for Canada by millers; sales 15,000 bushels white Canada, part to arrive, at $3 40; one car load Canada Spring at $2 60; 2,000 bushels No. 2 Chicago at $2 90, all in store. Corn dull, unsettled and drooping; sales 1,000 bushels new Chicago per sample at $1 14 in store, offered at $1 12 at the close without buyers; new Toledo is selling at $1 15@1 18 in store. Oats quiet; sales 8,000 bushels Ohio and 4,000 do No. 2 Western at 78c in store. Other articles unchanged and market generally dull.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Dry goods market languid, and cotton goods again lower. We quote Indian Head yard wide unbleached sheetings 19½c; Atlantic A do 18c; Pacific extra and H do 18½c; Atlantic H do 17½c; Stark A do 18½c; Medford do 17c; Atlantic do and Pacific L at 16½c; Bates's bleached muslins down to 23½c, and New York Mills to 20c. New York cottonades are selling all around at 25c for checks and plaids, and Manchester denims at 20c. Prints steady but in less request.

San Francisco Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Savage Mining Company has declared a dividend of one hundred and fifty dollars per foot, payable to-morrow. Not for three years has the mining stock market been so active. Prices generally higher. Hale and Norcross is quoted at $3,650; Savage, $3,450; Crown Point, $1,900; Yellow Jacket, $1,700.

Flour firm and prices unchanged. Wheat dull at $2@2 15. Legal Tenders 74.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—Flour quiet; Extra State $15 00, and superfine $10 50. Wheat in improved demand; sales 3,000 bushels Pennsylvania red at $3 30; White Western $3 55. Rye $1 73. Corn in fair demand; sales 3,000 bushels yellow at $1 32@1 37; 500 bushels white on private terms. Oats in fair demand at 85c. Provisions firm. Coffee dull. Sugar in fair demand; Cuba 10½c. Whisky unchanged.

Cambridge Cattle Market.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., May 7.—Beef cattle—receipts 254; although the number is small, there is no advance in prices. Extra $13 50@14 00; first quality $12 00@13 00; second quality $11 00@12 00. Sheep and lambs—receipts 126; sales light and without advance on rates; little demand; sales at 8@9c; spring lambs 5 @8c.

Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, May 7.—Cotton dull; middling 23@24c. Corn $1 20@1 27. Oats 87@90c. Bran $40 ℔ ton. Flour steady; super $9 50@10. Mess pork $23 50@23 75. Clear sides 13¾c; plain sugar cured hams 15@16c; shoulders 10½c. Lard 14@14½c. No change in the other markets.

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Oil City.

[By P. & A. Telegraph Line.]

OIL CITY, May 7.—Weather cloudy and cool. River six and a half feet, and rising slowly.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, May 7.—Weather clear and cold. The river rose two inches the past twenty-four hours. Business dull.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 7.—River is stationary with nine and a half feet of water in the canal by the mark.

RIVER NEWS.

STEAMERS ARRIVED AND DEPARTED.

Arrived.

Gallatin	Carlisle	Greensboro.
Elector	Phillips	Greensboro.
Elisha Bennett	Cox	Greensboro.
Fayette	Donaldson	Brownsville.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.

Departed.

Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Gallatin	Carlisle	Greensboro.
Elector	Phillips	Greensboro.
Elisha Bennett	Cox	Greensboro.
Fayette	Donaldson	Brownsville.
Ida Rees No. 2	Rees	Oil City.
Grey Eagle	Brennan	Parkersburg.

THE RIVER AND MATTERS ALONG THE WHARF.—The weather since our last has been pleasant. The late rains have produced a slight rise in our rivers. The Monongahela marks indicated nine feet six inches; Allegheny marks ten feet six inches and rising. Dispatches from Oil City report six feet six inches and rising. The wharf yesterday was bare of coal boats. The packet Armenia was detained; she will take her departure this day for Cairo and St. Louis—persons going that way will be well cared for. The Leni Leoti left on time with a fair trip. The Parkersburg packet for this day is the side-wheel steamer Grey Eagle; she leaves at noon. The fine steamer Ida Rees, Captain Brown, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. The punctual packet Argosy, Captain Vandergrift, leaves to day, at noon, for Cincinnati. The far-famed Allegheny river packet Belle is announced as a regular Saturday Cincinnati packet. The model barges Dove and Swan are at the foot of Wood street, loading for St. Louis. They will have dispatch. Trade on the landing yesterday was dull. The tow-boats, Leopard, Niagara and Mary Davage, left yesterday with tows of coal for Louisville and Cairo.

THE Leni Leoti, Captain Hamilton, left yesterday for Portsmouth with a fair trip.

SEVERAL boats are due. They may come at any hour.

A ST. LOUIS dispatch says freights to all points are very scarce.

THE Kenton, Capt. Dunlap, left Cincinnati for this port on Sunday.

THE Cumberland was rising, on Saturday, with 9 feet on Harpeth Shoals.

BOATS IN PORT.—Delaware, R. C. Gray, Armenia, Maggie Hays, Argosy, Belle, Kate Robinson, Ida Rees, Bennett, Elector, Spray, Leni Leoti.

THE Westmoreland has arrived at Cincinnati with a big trip. The Louisville *Democrat* man will have another sick spell.

THE fine passenger steamer Grey Eagle, Captain Brennan, leaves this day for Parkersburg and intermediate points.

THE steamers Ezra Porter and Westmoreland passed Evansville on Sunday. Both had excellent trips for up stream.

SALE OF THE SALLIE LIST.—The Sallie List was sold at Mobile on Wednesday last by the Sheriff, to Captain Shillito, for $3,600.

THE BELLE ON THE TRACK.—Capt. T W Loughrey has announced the fine packet Belle to make weekly trips to Cincinnati. She will leave on Saturday.

THE Ezra Porter, on her way from St. Louis, has the following Pittsburgh freight: 11 barrels clay, 50 barrels sand, 10 bales hides and 165 barrels flour.

THE following boats were advertised to leave Cincinnati for this port on Monday: Julia No. 2 and Glendale. The former is advertised as the Merchants' and Planters' regular independent packet.

TOWBOAT DEPARTURES.—The Leopard and Niagara left for Louisville with 18 coal boats and 200,000 bushels of coal. The Mary Davage left for Cairo with 80,000 bushels.

THE splendid side wheel steamer Grey Eagle, Captain Brennan, leaves to-day at noon for Parkersburg and intermediate ports. To persons going that way a fine opportunity is presented.

AMONG the freight of the Argosy last trip were two hundred and seventy-five bales of cotton. We are again indebted to the officers of this boat for attentions to this office.

AN Evansville correspondent says: Freight is abundant here. Louisville attempts to fix the rate of freights from this port; our shippers don't see it, and will let Louisville boats go light and send for the Atlantic and Mississippi steamers.

A SENSIBLE WAY OF SETTLING DIFFICULTIES.—The owner of the Maid of Peru, which steamer was recently sunk by the R. E. Lee, has been allowed only $1,000 by the committee appointed to determine the extent of the damages.

THE punctual packet Spray, Captain Smith, leaves this day at 4 P. M. for Portsmouth and intermediate points. The trade, since the establishment of regular packets, is rapidly increasing between these points.

THE fine packet Ida Rees, Captain Joseph Brown, leaves on Wednesday for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat has just been fitted up in superb manner, and offers excellent accommodations to passengers and shippers.

THE first class passenger steamer Armenia, Capt. H. C. McCallam, is announced for Cairo and Saint Louis. This boat has unsurpassed accommodations and is in charge of officers that would make a less worthy boat popular.

CAPT. ANAWALT is again on hand for another barge trip to St. Louis. The handsome model barges Dove and Swan, are moored at the foot of Wood street, and will have dispatch. We take pleasure in saying a good word for Captain John and the Wild Duck.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The punctual passenger steamer Armenia, Capt. McCallam, is announced for Cairo and Saint Louis this day. Persons who have traveled on this steamer speak in flattering terms of her appointments. Call early, and Mac., Jr., will furnish you with a first-class state room.

THE steamer St. Charles is running between Louisville and New Orleans. She is commanded by Capt. H. Campbell, a Pittsburgher. She made some tall running on her last trip. Time to Cairo, three days, twenty-three hours, and fifty minutes; making a regular business trip—the best since the war.

HO! FOR CINCINNATI.—The punctual passenger steamer Argosy, Captain Vandergrift, leaves this day positively at noon for Cincinnati and way points. To persons going that way a fine opportunity is presented. Mr. Scott, who has charge of the office, will see that passengers have the best of attention. Call early and secure a stateroom.

CAPT. FRANK CARTER has retired from the command of the Louisville mail packet Major Anderson, and will take charge of the steamer United States in the same line. Captain Carter is at Madison superintending the repairs to the United States. Captain A. C. C. Montfort succeeds Carter in the command of the Major Anderson.

THE mail steamer America is making most excellent time, and promises to make the famous time of the Telegraph No. 3 and Jacob Strader. She left Louisville on Saturday, at 4:16 P. M., arriving at Cincinnati next morning at 3:30. She made the run to Madison in three hours and thirty-eight minutes. She attended to her usual way business.

MOBILE.—The steamer Sarah, running in the Mobile and New Orleans line, was nearly lost in the gale of the 30th ult. Her cabin and upper works were blown away, with ten persons, two of whom were picked up. Lost—James Gallahan, clerk; George Jones, pilot; Charles Mettlee, steersman; Miss Jennie Tibbetts, Mrs. Gen. O. Farrell, the chambermaid, and two others, names unknown.

THE Shreveport *News* of Wednesday says:

The merchants generally look as though they had lost all their friends, and their stores appear like some "banquet hall deserted." There will no doubt be an improvement as soon as the crops are all in the ground. The probability is that the river will not get much higher at this point. At last accounts, it was falling slowly at Jefferson, and rising a little at Hurricane Bluffs.

BIG RUN OF A PITTSBURGH TOW-BOAT.—Captain Joseph Smith, Jr., arrived at Cincinnati on Sunday, from New Orleans. The tow-boat Lake Erie, with five coal boats and eight barges in tow, containing two hundred thousand bushels of coal, over eight thousand tons, on her recent downward trip, made the run from Louisville to New Orleans in eight days and eight hours. This is remarkably quick time with so large a tow. The Lake Erie left Memphis on Friday with sixteen empty coal barges in tow for Pittsburgh.

ACCIDENT TO THE NEW STEAMER DUBUQUE.—A Rock Island dispatch of the 4th says: This morning at 8:30 as the new Northern Line steamer "Dubuque" was passing through the draw of the railroad bridge a sudden gust of wind threw the boat against the main pier breaking in her guards for a space of twenty-five feet forward of the wheel beam, demolishing the outside of the cook house and pantry, pressing in and disconnecting the steam pipes of the starboard engine, disabling the engine and wheel. No person was injured. She will return to St. Louis for repairs.

THE MOUNTAIN STEAMERS.—We take the following from the St. Louis *Republican*:

ON BOARD STEAMER WAVERLY, FORT RANDALL, April 21, 1867.

We are now in the lead of the mountain fleet, and are the first to disturb the waters of the upper Missouri this season, and hope to remain in the lead until we reach Benton.

We are making remarkably good time, having passed every boat that left ahead of us, seven in number, viz: Huntsville and David Watts at St. Charles; Yorktown at Hermann; Amelia Poe at Lexington; Only chance at Omaha; Ben Johnson at Florence, (laid up, unable to stem the current), and Walter B. Dance at Sioux City; and have neither seen or heard of them since. We have lost four days since leaving Omaha, on account of ice, and have had a very strong current to stem, the river being very high, although it is now falling rapidly. We are afraid it will fall as fast as it rose.

New Orleans Items.

The Great Republic is growing rapidly in favor among the Southerners. Listen to what the New Orleans *Times* says: The Republic had on board over twenty-two hundred tons of freight. The bales and boxes of merchandise are piled around her stages as if a large warehouse had been discharged.

The *Crescent* says: We were kindly remembered by the gentlemanly clerk of the Great Republic, Sam. Barr, Jr., while in Vicksburg, by sending us the manifest of the boat by mail; but the speed of the noble craft outstripped Uncle Sam's conveyance, arriving here ahead of the slow coaches.

The New Orleans *Commercial Bulletin*, of Thursday, says: The arrivals, though light, embraced some of the larger boats, among them the famous Great Republic, with a rousing consignment, doing a heavy way business, and cabin full of passengers. In commendation of Capt. W. B. Donaldson—who does things *con amore*—we may mention incidentally that he delivered, through the Great Republic, at Vicksburg, free of charge, one hundred and forty sacks of corn for the suffering poor of the South. The man or men who extend us a helping hand in these trying times will never be forgotten.

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The fine passenger packet BELLE, LAUGHREY Commander, will leave as announced.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 8.

The splendid passenger steamer IDA REES, Capt. JOSEPH BROWN, Commander, will leave as announced above.

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The tow-boat WILD DUCK, Captain W. F. ADAMS, will leave for the above place with barges Dove and Swan.

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WESTERN RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at the Office of the Superintending Engineer of the Western River Improvement, &c., No. 4, Public Landing, Cincinnati, Ohio, until WEDNESDAY, the 22d of May, 1867, for removing obstructions to the navigation, such as snags, wrecks, sunken barges, logs, boats, or the like, from the Missouri river, or from the Arkansas river, separate proposals being required, naming the river in which the bidder proposes to work; the intention being to have one boat, &c., equipped, as below named, on each river.

Bidders will specify the price per day for each day's work for which they will agree to furnish every thing necessary to do the work under the superintendence of a person to be appointed by the said Engineer; said price to cover the furnishing of a light draught steamer, one strongly decked flat, one crane and crane boat, and the necessary screws, chains, ropes, levers, saws, axes and requisite utensils, fixtures, &c., suitable for such work, and including the pay and expenses of Captain, Pilot, Steam Engineer and Crew, and ten men for running the steamer and doing the work. All expenses to be paid and all risks borne by the party proposing, it being understood that the Government will be responsible for the payment of nothing more than the sum per day that may be agreed upon.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, if it may be deemed to the interest of the Government to do so.

For more particular information apply, by letter or otherwise, at the Office above named, in Cincinnati, Ohio, where may be obtained the printed forms for making bids and naming the sureties, a close conformity to which forms must be observed to insure attention to the bids.

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